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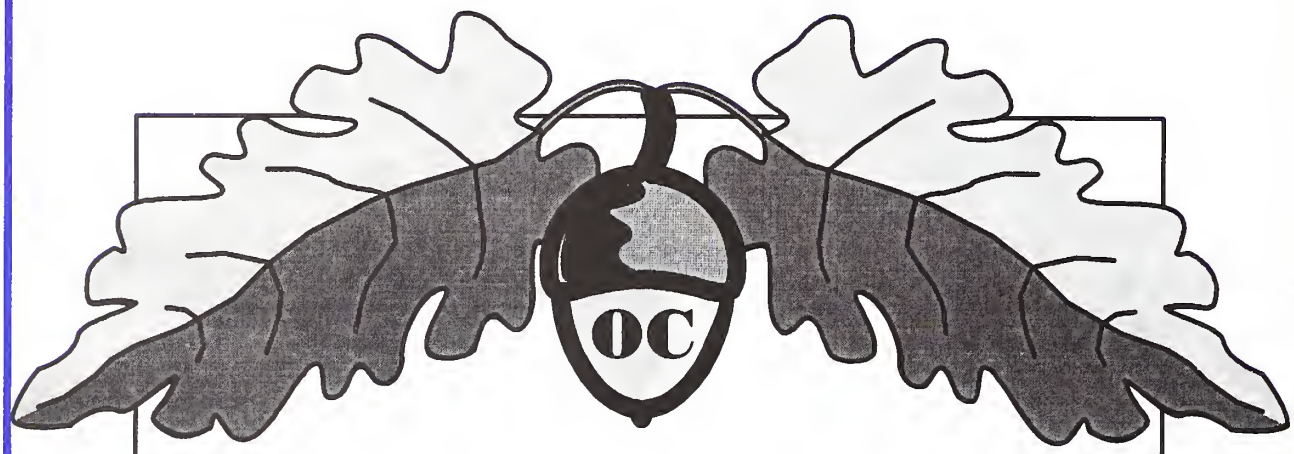

OC
Homecoming

March 28-31, 2002

Oakwood College Alumni Association

Oakwood College

Alumni Association

Welcomes Alumni and Friends
to the
34th Annual Homecoming

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Message from the President

Dear Alumni and Friends:

It is always a pleasure to welcome you back to the Oakwood College campus. Now that we are on this side of the new millennium, we are pleased that a vibrant student body and encouraging progress wait to greet you.

How are things progressing at the Oaks? An inspiring student week of prayer brought blessings to students and members of the College family. The academic program has been greatly strengthened and encouraged by the very positive evaluation ratings of three accrediting teams: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Adventist Accrediting Association, and the General Conference. The landscape and grounds have been greatly enhanced by the lighted sidewalks leading to the recently dedicated Business and Technology Complex, with a reflection pool and new frontage with the Oakwood College sign on the Adventist Boulevard/Wynn Drive intersection. In addition to a strong financial position and a balanced budget, there has been extraordinary success in fund-raising which helped to fund the Business and Technology Complex.

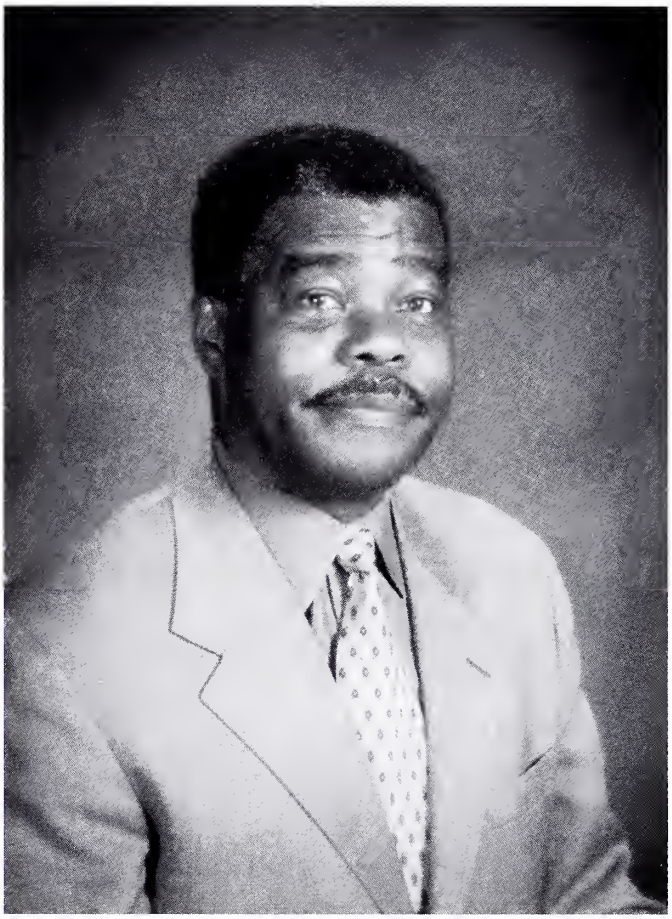
How can you help us to advance further? Surprise and encourage us by offering a gift to assist with student scholarships or one of our current projects. Further, we greatly need your continued support in challenging other alumni and friends to go the second mile in helping us make our expansion dreams and our plans to achieve university status come to fruition. Some of these dreams include: a new residence hall, library expansion, Bradford-Cleveland Institute building, and completion of the lower level of the Business and Technology Complex. These are just a few of the critical areas we must address as we draw close to the end of this year, and the beginning of the new 2002. Help us to help our young men and women be all they can be for God and society.

Again, on behalf of the Oakwood College family, I say welcome.

Sincerely,

Delbert W. Baker, Ph.D.
President

Welcome to the Thirty-Fourth Homecoming



Edward Woods, Jr.

Greetings Alumni and Friends

The theme chosen for our OC Homecoming 2001 "Building Together" denotes a spirit which we hope will ignite each of you on this special weekend.

We want you, our special alumni and friends, to enjoy the breathtaking scenes of nature and the expansion of our physical layout on the campus. Our alma mater is truly a garden of beauty.

May your commitment this weekend as a result of seeing so many of your classmates, friends, students, and campus improvements be a pledge to financially make a sacrificial gift for student scholarships and college development.

WELCOME HOME ALUMNI AND FRIENDS

Edward Woods, Jr. President
Oakwood College Alumni Association

Office of Development

Bruce Peifer, Director

There is a saying, "the more things change the more they stay the same." Oakwood College is proof of that. The past five years have brought on many changes, in the world as well as at Oakwood College. The world has seen changes in leadership, Oakwood has seen changes in leadership. The world has experienced an economic roller coaster, Oakwood has experienced economic challenges and rewards. However, the world seems to still be the world. Constantly on the brink of disaster and total destruction. Oakwood, praise the Lord, is still Oakwood. Throughout the changes it still stands as a shining beacon of truth, a safe haven for Christian Seventh-day-Adventist Education, and a place that has prepared itself for the future changes that will inevitably come and impact each of us. Oakwood is **not** headed for disaster or destruction, instead, Oakwood is getting stronger every day.

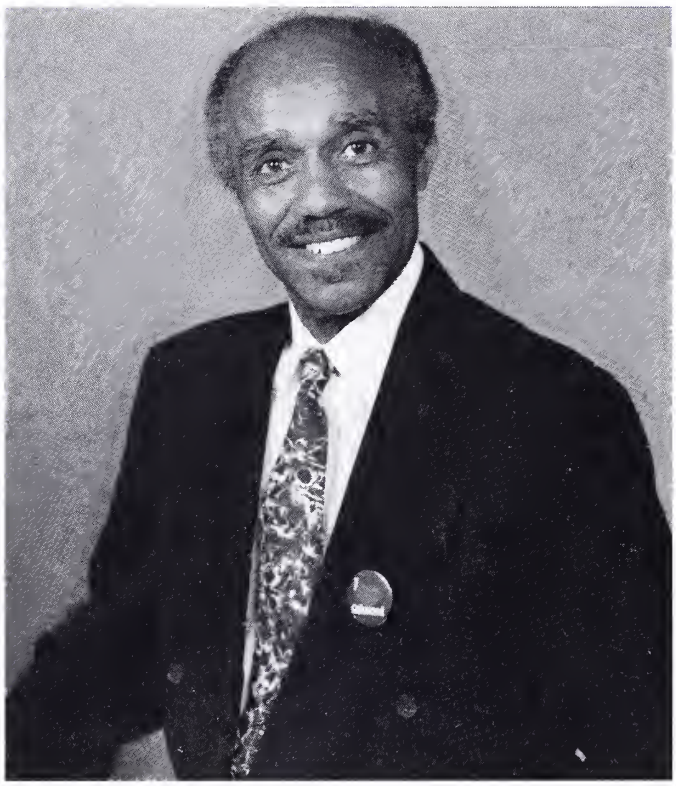
Oakwood's changes over the last year include: An academic evaluation from the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges; Oakwood passed the accrediting with flying colors and full acceleration for the next ten years; An unprecedented face to face meeting of our President, Dr. Delbert Baker, and the Governor of the State of Alabama; The completion and opening of the new Business & Technology Complex located on Adventist Boulevard.

These changes have helped put Oakwood in a position to stay a solid institution that is a leader in Christian Education. Highlights and changes that have strengthened the Office for Development at Oakwood College include: Dr. Sherman Cox has added the responsibility for Alumni Relations to his task load of Annual Fund, Phon-a-thon, and Associate Executive Director. Jan Ross, our UNCF/Corporate Director, has taken on the Pre-Alumni program for students sponsored by the UNCF making our College Fund/UNCF program more comprehensive. Alumni Giving for the past year 1999-2000 was in excess of $500,000. Go Alumni!!

As the College continues to grow and maintain the standard that it has survived with, one challenge remains; Support for the College. We would encourage each of you as you make plans for the future to remember the students at Oakwood College. If you would like information on how to assist our students through the rigors of Christian Seventh-day Adventist academia, please contact us at the Office of Development at (256) 726-7201 or e-mail us at development@oakwood.edu.

Oakwood College is a non-profit charitable institution for higher education. "We need you to ensure our future."

Welcome Message



Dr. S. Haywood Cox

Associate Executive Director for Development & Director of Alumni Relations and Annual Giving

Greetings! Welcome to Homecoming 2001. I extend to you a cordial and warm welcome to the thirty-fourth Annual Alumni Homecoming.

Instantly as you arrive and greet one another, it is a time of great fellowship. Ours is a close-knit family, and as the song says, "it feels so good just being here again." As we assemble for homecoming, we expect that God will manifest His presence among us in a blessed way, making these times especially rich.

My hope and prayer is that this three-day event will live up to your expectations, and that you will become a part of Oakwood's tomorrow by investing in our Black youth today. With your prayers, talents and financial support, we can build together an educational institution. Par excellence.

Sincerely,

Dr. S. Haywood Cox

Dr. S. Haywood Cox
Associate Executive Director for Development &
Director of Alumni Relations and Annual Giving

Education Excellence Eternity

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Celebrates Alumni Weekend

Certificates of Merit

Allegheny East Conference.....Jacqueline Parris
Allegheny West Conference.....Gwendowlyn Foster
Lake Region Conference.....Joseph Peele, Sr.
Northeastern Conference.....Carroll Tyler
South Central Conference.....Alean Middleton
Southeastern Conference.....Mozelle Lockett

Alumna of the Year

Estelle Green

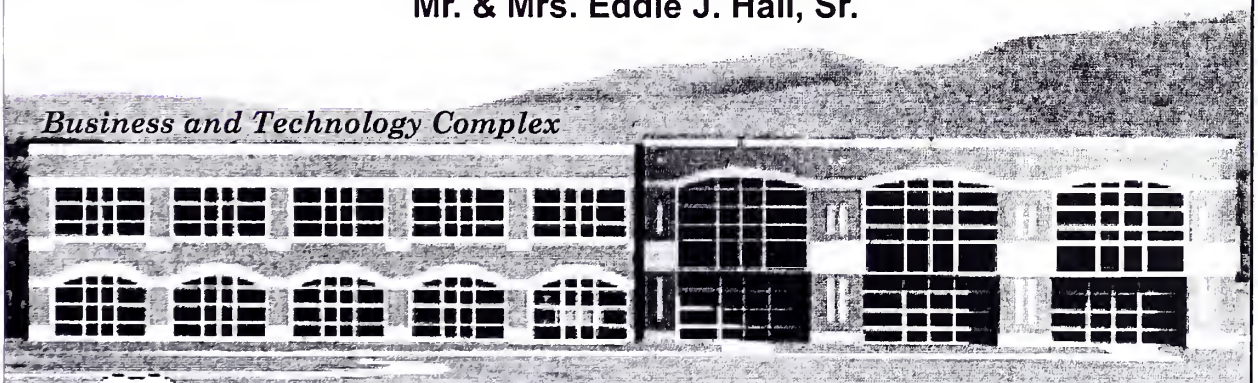
Alumnus of the Year

Clement A. Murray

Parents of the Year

Mr. & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall, Sr.

Business and Technology Complex



"Education, Excellence, Eternity. - These three words succinctly sum up both the historic legacy and promising future of Oakwood."

Delbert W. Baker, Ph.D.
President

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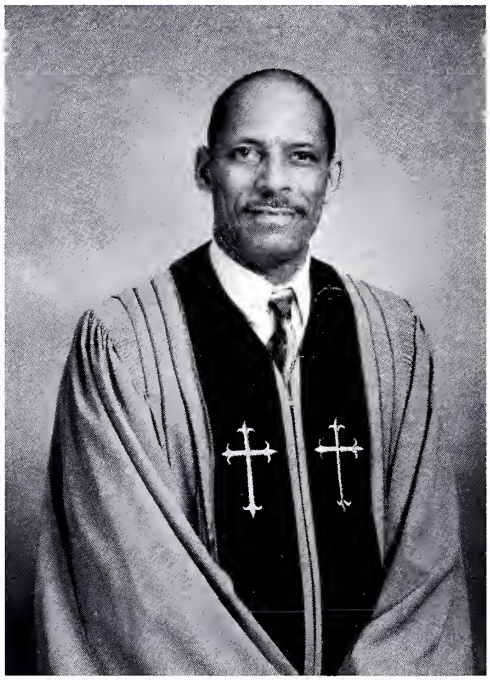
Friday Vesper Speaker



Pastor Benjamin Jones, Jr.

Pastor Benjamin Jones, Jr. is a native of Akron, Ohio. He is the older of two sons. He became a Seventh-day Adventist as a youth. Under the pastoral leadership of Elder Harold Lee. Pastor Jones was encouraged to go to Oakwood College and pursue ministry. The Oakwood experience was not only his first exposure to Christian Education, but it was one that would transform his life forever, and establish a love for God and His people.

Pastor Jones graduated from Oakwood College in 1971 with a B.A. degree in Theology. He attended the Theological Seminary at Andrews University for one year and began his pastoral ministry in the South Central Conference, where he has served for the past 29 years. As a pastor, he has served 13 different congregations throughout Alabama and Tennessee. He is presently serving as the senior pastor of the First Seventh-day Adventist Church in Huntsville, Alabama.

In his desire to continually pursue excellence, he has completed all of the class work for a Master's of Art in Religion at Southern Adventist University. His degree will be conferred on him later this year.

He is married to the former Carol J. Vanderhorst, his wife of 31 years. They have two children, Anetra and Paul, and one granddaughter, Jade.

Divine Worship Speaker

Joseph W. McCoy, President South Central Conference

Joseph W. McCoy was born in New Orleans, Louisiana. His father - John H. McCoy, Sr., and his mother - Noella McCoy are both deceased. He is the second of five children; two brothers - John and Oceanous and two sisters - Aurita and Loviland. Joseph married the former Judith Elaine Bryant of Los Angeles, California on August 28, 1966. Joseph and Judith have three daughters: Meredeth - Graduate of Oakwood College and a teacher at Columbia Community College; married to Brian McCraw; One child - Dillon McCraw - born December 2, 1998. Melanie - Graduate of Oakwood College and a Y2K Health Care Consultant, Monterey Bay Group. Myla - Graduate of Oakwood College and a High School English Teacher.

Joseph's education: Elementary - S.D.A. Church School; Academy - Oakwood Academy; College - Oakwood College, 1965; Seminary - Andrews University, 1968-1969.

Joseph began his ministry with South Central Conference of Seventh-day Adventist in Paducah, Kentucky from 1967-1969; Greenville, Mississippi from 1969-1972; Lexington, Kentucky from 1972-1974. He pastored at South Atlantic Conference of Seventh-day Adventist at Macon, Georgia from 1974-1975; Southwest Region Conference of Seventh-day Adventist in Houston, Texas (Belfort S.D.A. Church) from 1975-1978. At the South Central Conference of Seventh-day Adventist (Headquarters) in Nashville, Tennessee he was Director - Youth Ministries, Health and Temperance, and NSO from 1978-1990; Conference Secretary from 1984-1993 (plus previous positions) and Conference President from May 23, 1993 to the present.

Joseph was inducted into the M.L. King Board of Preachers at Morehouse College in Atlanta, Georgia, March 30, 2000.

His other interests are strong family interaction, family oriented; special interest in relevant soul winning methods; the complete religious, socio-economic and political development of the African-American Adventist Community; baseball, fast car, cycling, walking; the total preparation of the laity to fulfill their sacred call to ministry. He is interested in photography, and an avid reader.

Congratulations

Eddie and Ruby Hall
Parents of the Year

From
The Oakwood College
Alumni Association

2001 Parents of the Year
Eddie and Ruby Hall, Sr.

Eddie James Hall Sr., was born in Covington, Georgia in 1934. Ruby Beasley was born in Atlanta, Georgia 1938. The two were married in December of 1956. With neither of them coming from an Adventist home, Eddie and Ruby received the Lord in their lives in the late 50's. Ruby's life was touched by Sister Addie Mercey and Eddie's life was touched by Brother Theodore Thompson. Eddie was baptized in 1961 and Ruby in 1962.

Life together for Ruby and Eddie began with his enlistment in the United States Army in 1955, where he served as Private First Class until 1955. While Ruby enjoyed her life as a mother and homemaker, Eddie (after leaving the army) continued his profession at the Atlanta Board of Education as a laborer. Throughout his career he was promoted to a plumber apprentice in 1966 and a licensed plumber in 1969. He was recently recognized as the first black plumber in the Atlanta Public School System. Eddie received his Master Plumbing license in 1979. Upon which, he started Hall and Son's plumbing company in 1986.

Eddie and Ruby learned early in the Adventist religion that a quality Christian education is a vital part of a child's development. Eddie and Ruby had eight children born between 1957 and 1970. The first child entered private school in 1964. Over the course of the next 36 years Eddie and Ruby educated their eight children in the Seventh-Day Adventist school system. The schools were Berean Jr. Academy, Greater Atlanta Adventist Academy, Georgia Cumberland Academy, and Oakwood College. It was never a second thought that any of the Hall children would attend any school outside of the Seventh-Day Adventist religion. Ruby and Eddie broke the old cycle of education in the public school system and began a family tradition of education in the Seventh-Day Adventist school system. Eddie and Ruby's motto in life has been: "Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it." (Proverbs 22:16)

Congratulations

on your award for

"Parents of the Year" 2001

Elder & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall, Sr.

You have indeed followed Proverbs 22:6

Train up a child in the way he should go:
and when he is old, he will not depart from it.

May God continue to bless you

Mrs. Charlye Mae Bliss and
Ms. Carmen A. Richards Duncan

Best Wishes
to
Elder & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall, Sr.
Parents of the Year

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Congratulations

to the

"Family of the Year"

Elder and Mrs. Eddie Hall, Sr.

from the

Members of Your Berean

Sabbath School Family, Class #11

Julian S. Palmer Jr., Teacher

The South Atlantic Conference Constituency

Extends

Best Wishes

to

Elder & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall, Sr.

Parents of the Year

2001 Awardees
Oakwood College

Vanard Mendinghall, President
Ralph Franklin, Secretary
Linwood C. Stone, Treasurer

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES

Estella G. Greene

Alumna of the Year

Elder & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall, Sr.

Parents of the Year

Dr. Charles E. & Mrs. Phyllis Y. Campbell

Dr. Jacqueline Y. Campbell-Sylvester & Mark A. Sylvester, Jr.
*Celine and Marc

Charles R. & Annette V. Campbell
*Charles and Nicole

Andrea Karnice Campbell-Holloway & Orange J. Holloway, Jr.
*Lexis and Chandler

*Grandchildren

We congratulate
our parents
Elder & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall, Sr.
for a job well done on becoming
"Parents of the Year" 2001.

Love
James and Howard Hall
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To Mom & Dad

Elder & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall, Sr.

Congratulations on your award for
Parents of the Year 2001
May God continue to give you both
wisdom, love and understanding

Love
Edward Hall, Sr.

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Mr. Ed Hall, President

"BEING AND EXAMPLE TO THE BRETHERAN,
IS CERTAINLY WHAT
RUBY AND EDDIE J. HALL
HAVE BEEN FOR CHRISTIAN EDUCATION.
MAY GOD BLESS YOU!!!"

FROM,
LOUIS AND HENRY BARBOUR III

Congratulations
to
Elder & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall
"Parents of the Year"
for your dedication to Christian
Education.

--Lucy McKinney Parler

Congratulations

Mrs. Estella Greene
Alumna of the Year

From
The Oakwood College
Alumni Association

Mrs. Greene rasied over
$15,000.00 in Journal Ad sales.

Alumna of the Year

Estella Gully Greene

Estella Gully Greene, a dedicated soul winner and excellent teacher, grew up in the windy city of Chicago. After joining the SDA church at age 12, she attended Shiloh Elementary School, Shiloh Academy and Oakwood Academy.

From a child Estella has had a passion to help people and to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ. This passion along with her natural salesmanship abilities enabled her to be a highly effective Literature Evangelist. This skill enabled her to be the *first* student to earn three scholarships in one summer. She was also the *first* and only student to sell over 500 magazines in one day, thus gaining the reputation of being one of the best colporteurs of all time. Estella was a trailblazer, distinguishing herself again in the Religion and Theology Department as the *first* female to graduate from Oakwood with a degree in Religion.

After graduating from Oakwood College in 1949, she worked as a bible worker for Elder E.C. Ward's and later Elder C.D. Brook's evangelistic efforts. Bible work is something she really enjoys. Throughout her life she worked in numerous evangelistic efforts. She especially enjoys working with her son, Elder Alfonzo Green, Jr. in his evangelistic crusades.

Estella also has a genuine love for children. Dissatisfied with the number of students in the public school system unable to read, she decided to complete a Masters Degree in Reading and postgraduate work in Special Education. While working as the *first* black reading Specialist and consultant in Benton Harbor, Michigan, Estella gained the distinction of never having a child in her class who, with the help of the Lord, she could not teach to read. She taught in the public school system in Michigan and Kentucky for 30 years before retiring in 1989.

In 1974, Estella and her husband Alfonzo accepted a call to teach at West Indies College in Mandeville, Jamaica. She was able to break down many barriers there as the first female professor of Religion. Estella continued her love for religion by completing postgraduate work in Religion at Andrews University.

For over 50 years, Estella has actively supported the Oakwood College Alumni Association. For years she served as the head of the fund-raising and scholarship committees and she presently continues to raise funds for the J.L. Moran Chapter of the Alumni Association. Through her leadership and salesmanship talents she has raised thousands of dollars to help needy students to attend Oakwood College.

In October of this year, Estella will celebrate 50 years of marriage to her husband, Dr. Alfonzo Greene, retired Oakwood College Professor of Business Administration.

Together, they have three sons and one adorable daughter. Her oldest son Alfonzo, Jr. is Pastor in the Lake Region Conference; Anthony (wife, Yvonne Darby Greene) is an Attorney and owner of Greene Law Firm in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Crystal, (husband, Leon Thomas) is a Computer and History Teacher at Oakwood Academy; and Frederick (wife, Terri Mack Greene) is an Attorney and Law Professor in Ohio. Nine grandchildren, three boys and six girls, add much love and delight to her life.

All four of her children attended Oakwood College and her two college-age grandchildren are presently enrolled; Donna, a sophomore pre-med major, and Alfonzo III, a graduating senior in Theology.

Presently, Estella enjoys her retirement by visiting the sick, giving bible studies, and raising funds for various organizations. She also is an active member and officer of the Oakwood College Church.

Congratulations

to

Estella Greene
My Wife of 50 Years

Thanks for 50 years of Love and Good Memories.

Dr. Alfonzo Greene

Congratulations & Best Wishes
To
My Mother
&
Our Grandmother

Estella Gully Greene
Alumna of the Year

There are not any words to express our appreciation to you for what you have done for each of us by your words, Godly example and unconditional dedicated love. May God richly bless your Always.

With Love,
Your Eldest Son, Alfonzo Greene, Jr.
Your Grandchildren,
Alfonzo Greene, III
Donna Anna Maria Greene

We Salute & Honor Our Mother!

Estella Greene

Thanks for instilling in us the meaning of true service to God. Your spiritual guidance and commitment to Christian Education and high standard for excellence will always remain with us.

We Love You,
Your Only Daughter & Son-In Law
Leon & Crystal Thomas

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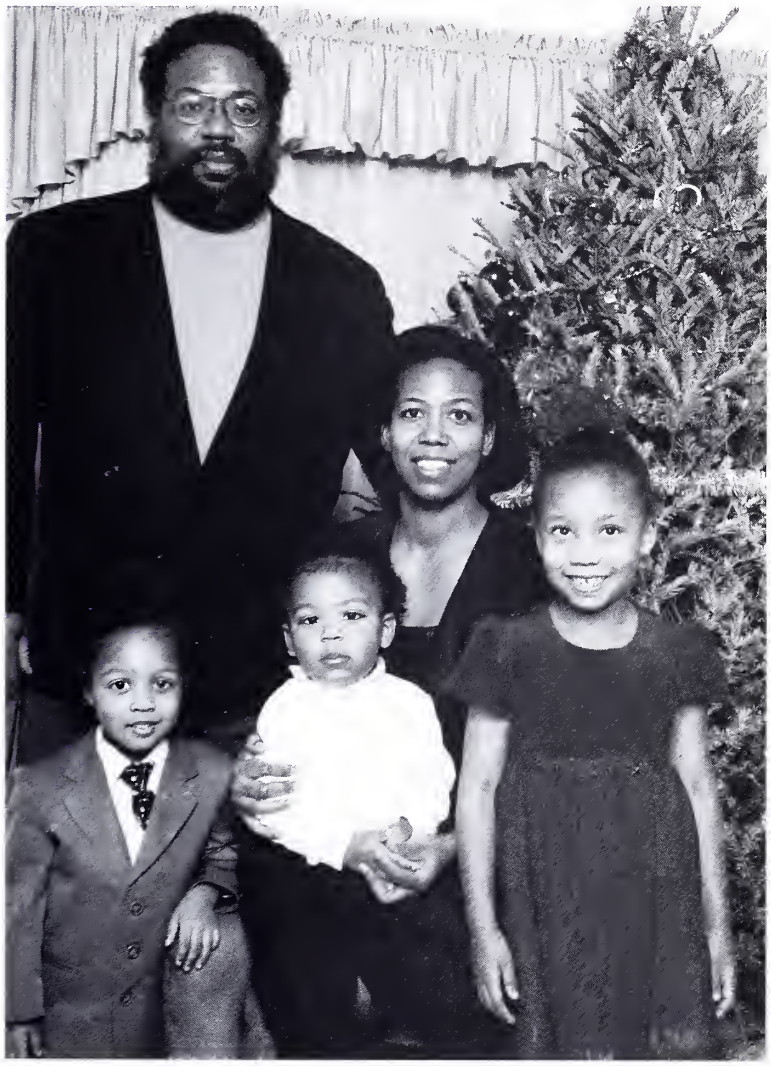
Congratulations
Estelle Greene
(Mom)



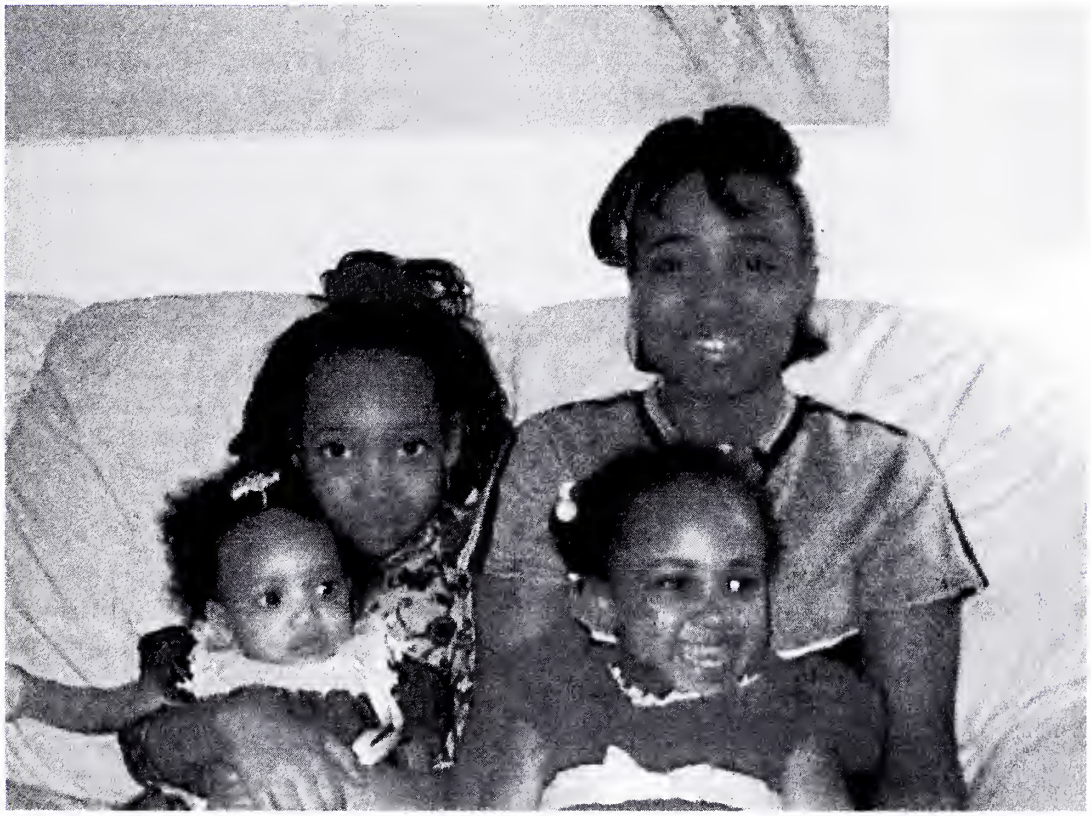
Love
Anthony and Family

CONGRATULATIONS!

To a Terrific Mother and Grandmother

Mrs. Estella Greene

On your success as
Alumna of the Year 2001



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Best Wishes
To
Estella Gully Greene

2001 Oakwood Alumna

We are happy to join the multitude of peers, associates, friends and family who are extending congratulatory and thankful expressions. We applaud you for your dedication and service to teaching, conducting Bible Studies and fund-raising activities for worthy students.

May God's blessings be with you always.

Elder & Mrs. Samuel Flagg

It is with pleasure that I acknowledge

Estella Greene

as Alumna of the year for Home Coming, 2001. Her Creative teaching skills and her dedication to the church in bringing souls to Christ has been a blessing to many. We thank God for her ministry and her dedication.

This recognition is given in memory of my deceased husband

Festus Howard Valentine

Whose life was dedicated to Christion Education, to the recruitment of student for the college, and to the Oakwood National Alumni Association

May God continue to bless you as you offer to Him the best of your service

Your Classmate of 1949
Allie T. Valentine

Congratulations and Best Wishes to the
2001 Oakwood College
National Alumni Honorees

Continued Success to

Estella Greene

The 2001 Alumna of the Year

We wish you God's richest blessings
for continued success in all your endeavors.

Compliments of your Indianapolis Friends
Thomasine Longware Wright
&
Lizzie Mae Strange

A Tribute of Honor is extended to *Mrs. Estella Greene*

Because of your sincere and unselfish love and commitment to helping to uplift people spiritually, educationally, socially and financially; we applaud this day of recognition to you as Oakwood College 2001 Alumna of the Year.

Your Friends,
Dr. & Mrs. Robert Andrews

Congratulations
and
Best Wishes
to

Estella Greene

from
The Ephesus SDA Church
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Pastor Earl Peters

To

Estella Gully Greene

Congratulations and best wishes for your outstanding contribution and dedicated service to Christian Education and soul winning efforts.

Mr. & Mrs. Willie Tramel
Celebrating their 60th Anniversary at the Oakwood College Church.
The beautiful celebration was hosted by their children to express their love and appreciation to their parents while they can still smell the roses and taste the goodies.

CONGRATULATIONS TO MY OC CLASSMATES OF '49
ESTELLA GULLY GREENE

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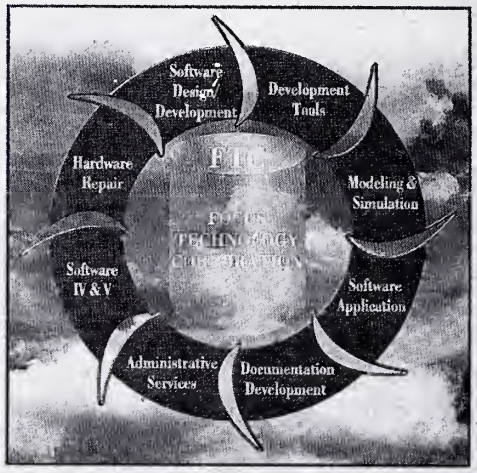

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My Mother

Anna Bentley Gully

Who taught me the power of prayer and to have great faith in God!

Special Thanks to my dear husband, Alfonzo, and my wonderful children who helped me raise over $20,000 this year for local and national worthy student scholarships!

Estella Gully Greene

Alumna of the Year

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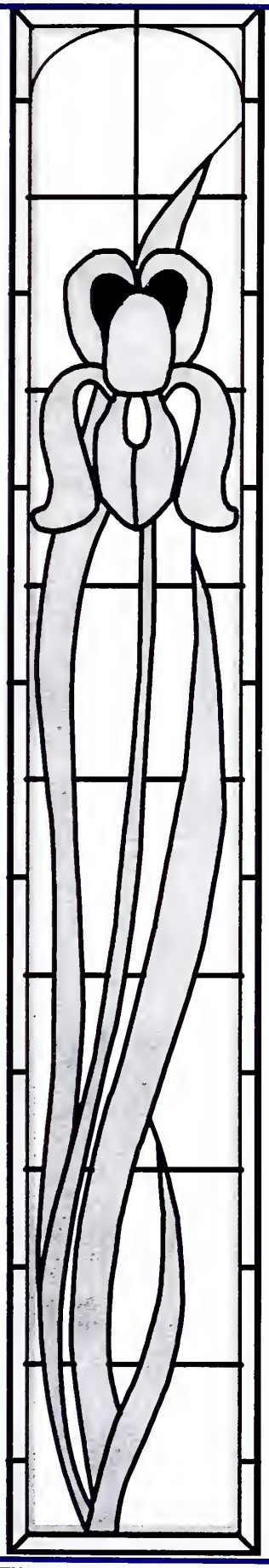

Congratulations
and
Best Wishes
to

Estella Gully Greene

Alumna of the Year 2001

May God continue
to bless you and keep
you in His loving arms.

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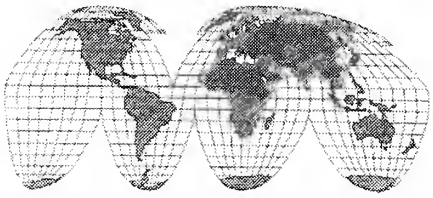

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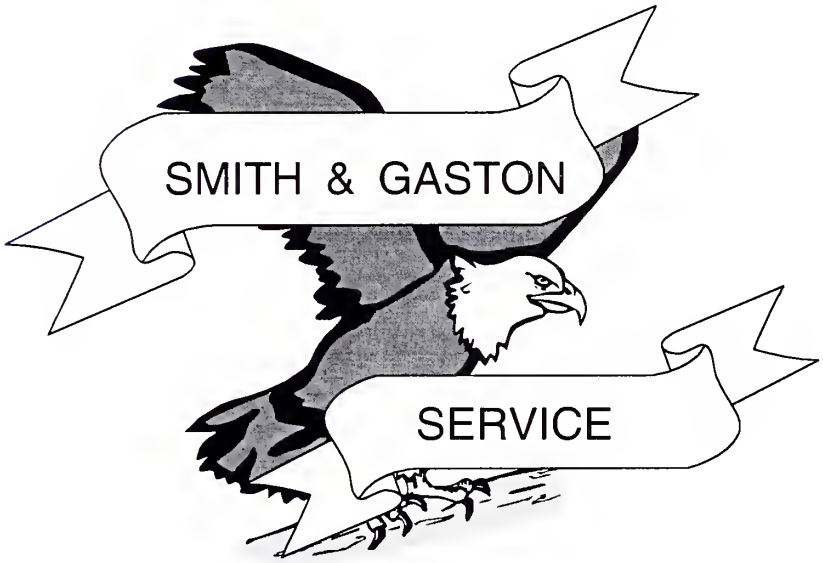

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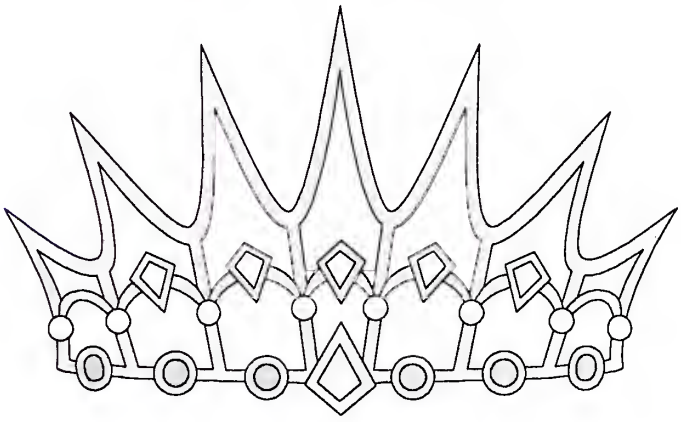

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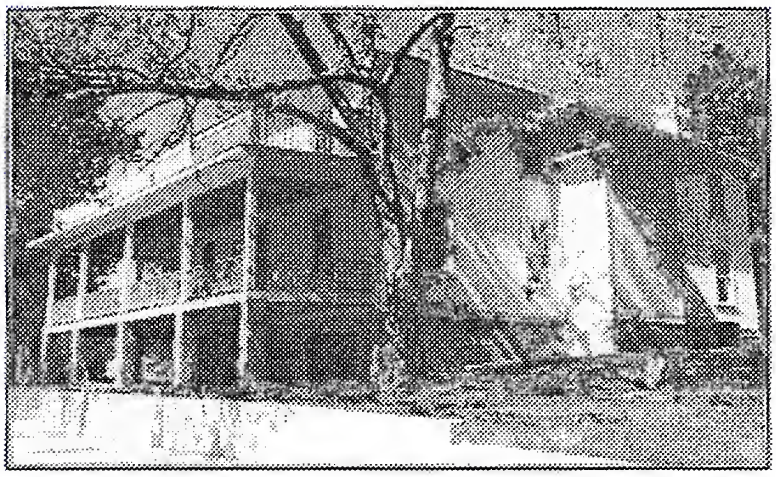

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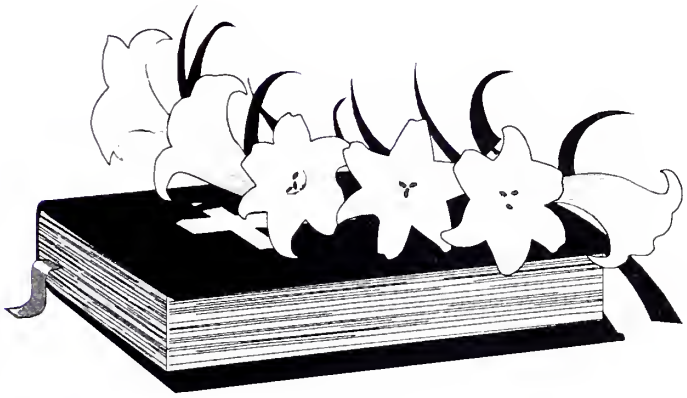

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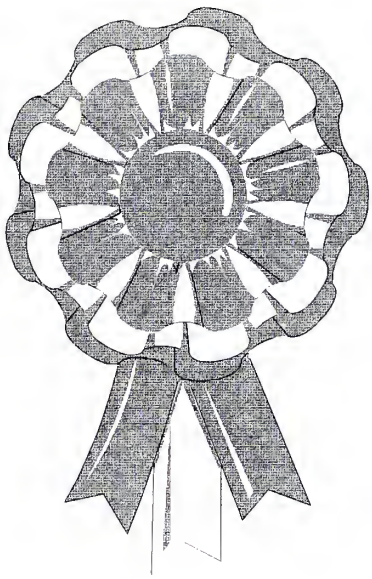

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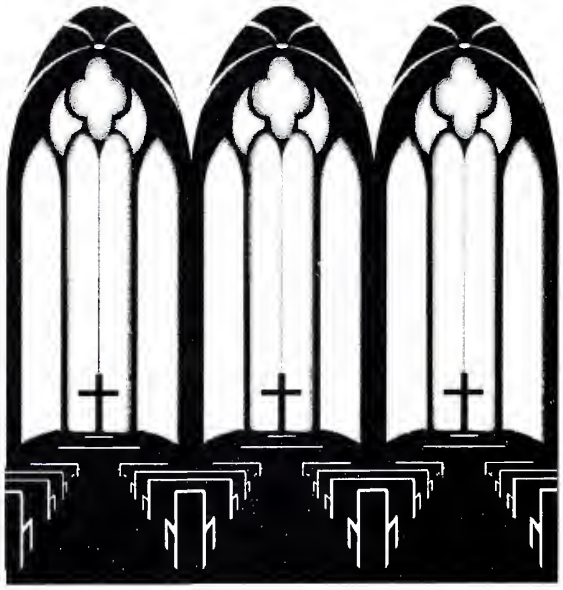

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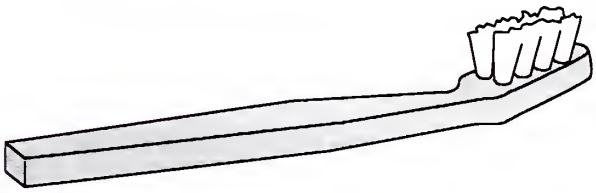

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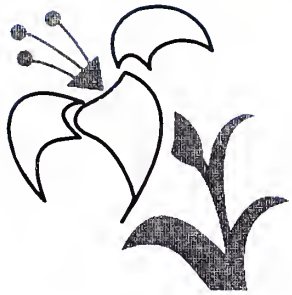

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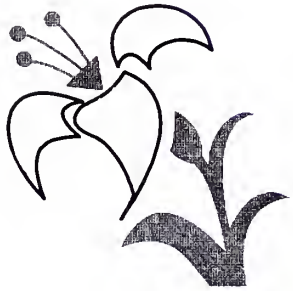

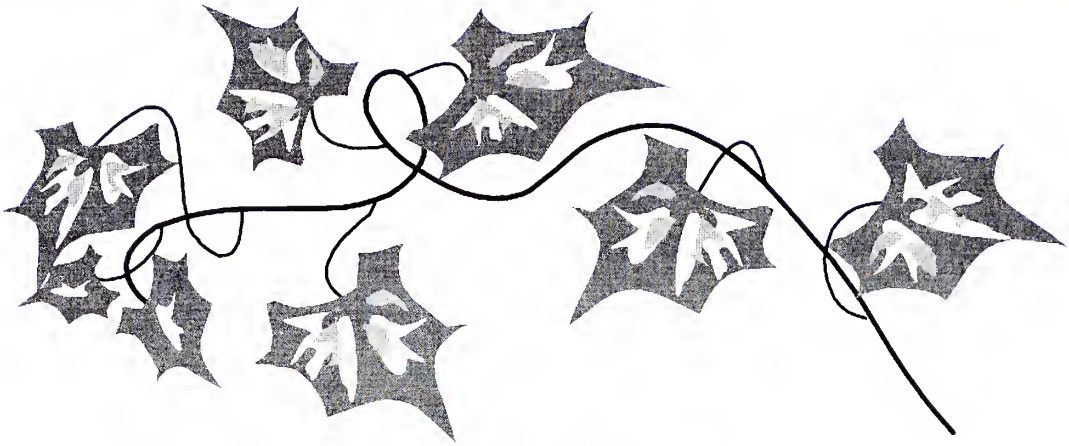

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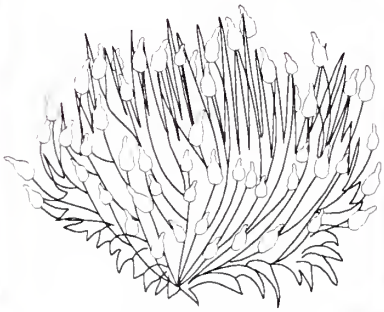

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For her dedication and excellent service!

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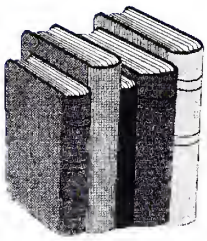

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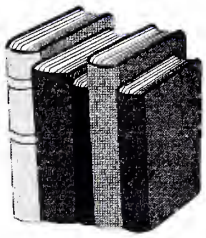

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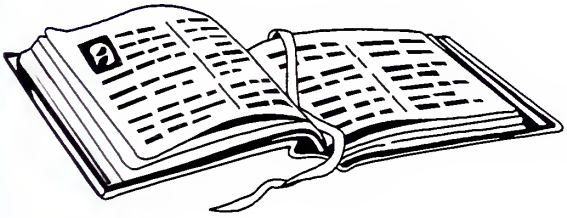

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Great things He has done,
through you outstanding
service, we are proud
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May God Bless you!!!

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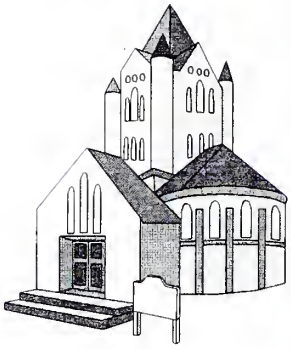
Estella G. Greene

Thank God for your Christian leadership and support. Your life is evidence of a dedicated Christian worker.



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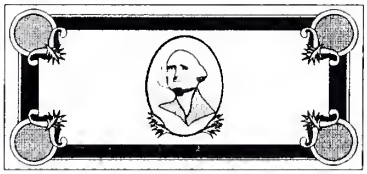

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"Nothing lies beyond the reach of prayer
Except that which lies beyond the will of God"

Your Brother
Eugene & Doris Gully

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Every job is a self portrait of the person who did it.
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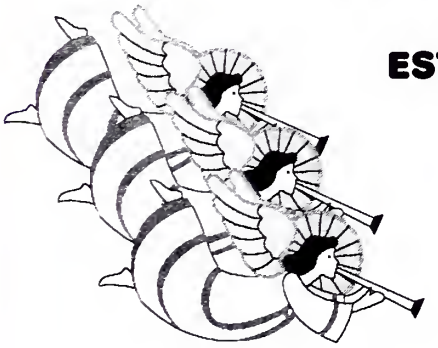

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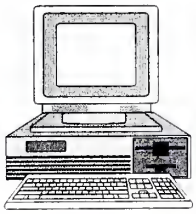

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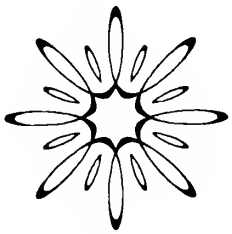

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In Loving Memory of
My Dear Mother,
Sister Florence Anna Stovall Starks
A devoted Christian.
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Your Children,
Jessie,
Leona,
Lillian,
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Our gift to life is ourselves.
Life's gift to us is the opportunity
to realize our true values
Reaching out to our fellow man,
touching them with loving care
and lifting them to behold the
One who is altogether lovely,
Jesus Christ
May God's blessings follow
you always our friend.

Elder & Mrs. Marion G. Cato
&
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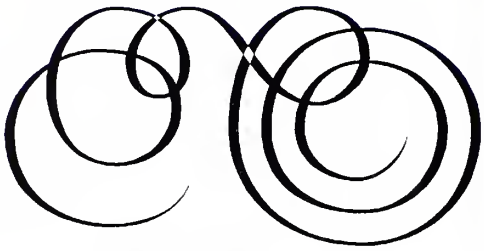

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Mrs. Estella Greene

May God bless you.

Drs. Oliver & Ruth Davis

Congratulations
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Who has done so much
for so many for fo long.

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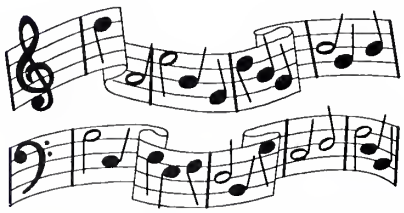

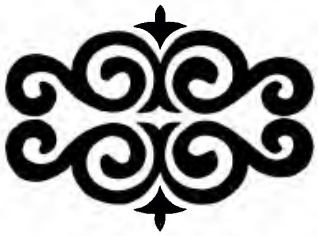

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May you continue to be the sincere, earnest, effervescent, resourceful Christian woman that you are now.

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As Alumna of the Year
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"May God continue to strengthen you as you persevere in untiringly laboring for Him."

Your childhood friend,
Ruth Ann (Jones) Warren
and
daughter, Karen Joy (Warren) Anderson

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Wishing you happiness that brightens your day. And fills your world with everything beautiful.

Mr. & Mrs. Vernon Hoffler
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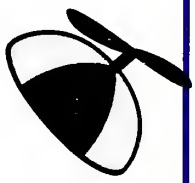

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May the Lord continue to richly
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"In Thee, O Lord, do I put my trust: Let me never be put to confusion." Psamls 71:1

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Rose Carter (Roomate & Neighbor)
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Warmest & Deepest Congratulations

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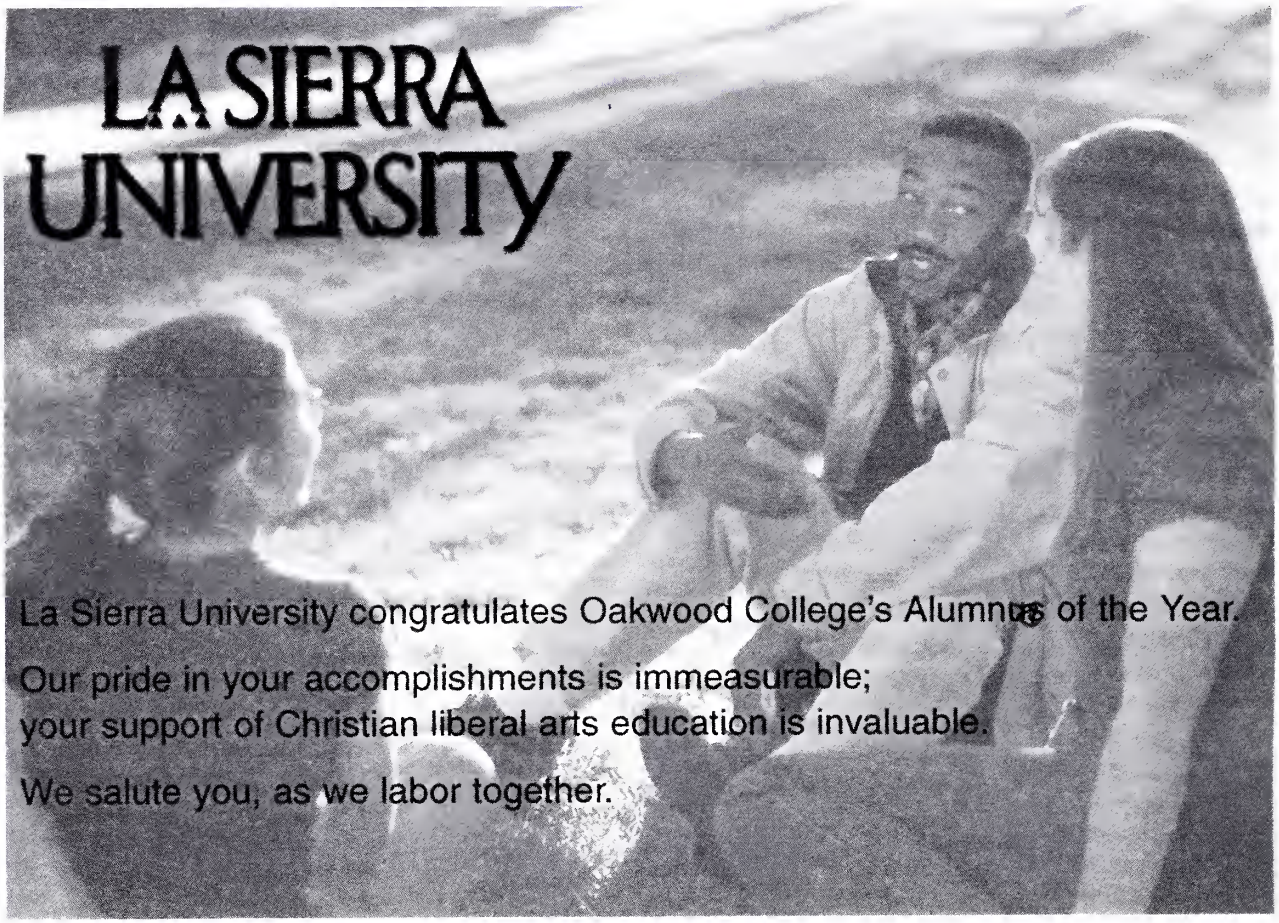

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To our Dear Friend, Estella Greene,

We cannot tell the precise moment
when friendship is formed.
As in filling a vessel drop by drop,
there is at last a drop
which makes it run over:
So in a series of kindnesses
there is at last one
which makes the heart run over.

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You have shown us many kindnesses. We appreciate you, your gifts, and your legacy. Now we celebrate this recognition with you as you continue to serve through your calling of education in its many forms. While this is an honor, and these words are a part of this tradition, your words speak for you.

Sincerely,
Nord and Ella Simmons

To the Best Parents in the World

Elder & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall, Sr.

We are truly blessed to have parents like you.
The sacrifices have been many, the road hard,
but we have all succeeded in our many endeavors.
And thanks to you, our lives have been a blessing
not only to ourselves, but also to others.
You have represented and provided the true
meaning of Christian education.
May God continue to use you in the
finishing of His work.

Mom and Dad we love you very much

Congratulations on your "Parents of the Year" 2001 Award

Love Always
Brenda, William, Lakeisha, Ruby, and Williams Lowe
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It puts us in tune with divine wisdom which knows how to adjust everything perfectly.

So often we do not pray in certain situations because from our standpoint, the outlook is hoepless.

But nothing is impossible with God.

Nothing is so entangled that it cannot be remedied; no human relationship is too strained for God to bring about reconciliation and understanding; no habit is so deep-rooted that it cannot be overcome, no one is so weak that he cannot be made strong.

No one is so ill that he cannot be healed; no mind is so dull that it cannot be made brilliant.

Whatever we need, if we trust God, He will supply it. If anything is causing worry or anxiety, let us stop rehearsing the difficulty and trust God for healing, love and power.

Remember Always the Power of Prayer!!!

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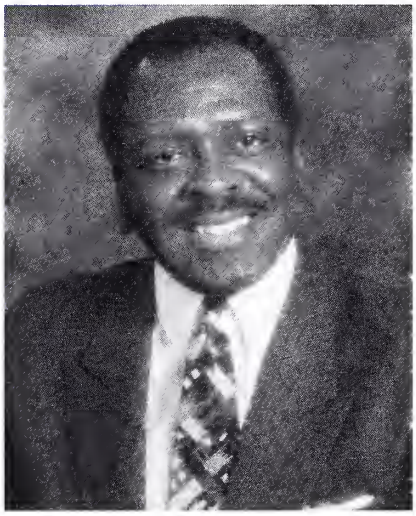

Pastor Clement A. Murray is a native of Buffalo, New York and was educated in the public schools of that city before attending college on a basketball scholarship. At age ten he was baptized into the Emmanuel Temple Seventh Day Adventist Church and was the only Adventist in his family. In the years following his entrance into ministry he led his sister, mother and father to Christ, personally baptizing his dad one month before his death in 1979, the year of his ordination.

Pastor Murray is a 1974 graduate of Oakwood College with degrees in Behavioral Science and Religion. He holds a Master of Pastoral Ministry Degree from Andrews University, a Doctor of Humane Letters, and a Doctor of Divinity, and is working towards a PhD in Communications.

He has successfully pastored a number of churches in the Northeastern Conference and in 1985 he became the youngest senior pastor of the historic Ephesus church in Manhattan with a membership of over 2100. He served there with distinction for over seven years before assuming responsibilities as Communication Director for the conference in 1992. His ministry has been highlighted by the opportunity to meet, preach to and ultimately baptize a number of prominent individuals such as United Nations Ambassador Franklin Dolland and Lucy Martin, former lead singer of the group Chic. He has preached across the United States, Canada, the Caribbean, South America, Europe, Africa, at the General Conference headquarters, on several college campuses including a week of prayer at West Indies College in Jamaica. He has served on a number of boards and committees including the Northeastern and Atlantic Union Executive Committees, the General Conference Executive Committee and various committees at the General Conference and North American Division levels.

In the mid and late 90's he served on the North America Division Commission on Public Image of the Church and with Adventist Media Center and Adventist Communication Network in the broadcasting of *NET*s '95, '96, '98, and '99 serving as the chairman of the PR Committee for NET '99 which was uplinked from New York. He also served on the First Wednesday ACN Broadcast Advisory committee and has produced training videos for ACN, the North America Division, and the Adventist Media Center.

In addition Pastor Murray was creator and host of The Family Circle radio broadcast, creator, host and co-producer with Charles Tapp of the This Moment In Time radio broadcast and is in his 9th year as host of the weekly two hour Praise The Lord television talk show on the Trinity Broadcasting Network. His guests have included Gloria Gaynor, Myesha Rashad and other prominent persons in the Adventist and non-Adventist Christian and secular worlds. In 1990 he wrote and co-produced with Walter Arties the A Gift of Love, Fox television Christmas special. He has also been a columnist for the New York Christian Times newspaper. He has written numerous articles for denominational magazines and the book, I Will Fear No Evil (Pacific Press, March 2001). Pacific Press has also asked him to write a second book, as yet untitled, for release in 2002. He has worked with filmmaker Spike Lee's Forty Acres And a Mule production company on the film Malcolm X, and with producer Dick Wolf on the Law and Order television show. He serves as a producer for the Adventist Communication Network and has produced the Northeastern Conference Campmeeting satellite uplink for four years as well as numerous videos, shows and broadcasts for the conference, Atlantic Union, and the Division. He was part of the GCTV (General Conference Television) production team in Utrecht in 1995 and served as a Field Producer and Television Correspondent for GCTV at the Tornoto 2000 General Conference Session. He has appeared on; ABC, NBC, CBS, CNN and the Fox network as well as several radio stations in and around New York.

Pastor Murray has received numerous awards over the years including citations from former NYC mayors Ed Koch and David Dinkins, borough Presidents Andrew Stein and Claire Shulman, Congressman Charles Rangel. The Harlem Ministerial Alliance, The Harlem Hospital, Adventist Broadcasters Association, Adventist Editors International, the North American Division Communication Department, the Trinity Broadcasting Network for excellence in hosting his talk show and many others given by local and state groups in and outside of the church.

On January 1, 2000, Murray served as New York producer for the denomination's first four-city concurrent interactive satellite broadcast called Genesis 2000 (G2K). He also served as an Associate Producer working with ABC Producer Danny Kim on ABC's 24-Hour New Year's Eve Millennium 2000 Celebration. Ever an innovator, Murray has introduced several new programs to local church communication departments, including the highly successful 24-Hour Bible Reading Fellowship, the Police Precinct Adoption Initiative, and the Mother's Day Initiative.

Pastor Murray's life goal is to have Adventists known in the community as loving caring, concerned, Christians and he is dedicated to accomplishing that goal, "By Any Anointed Means Necessary!"

Congratulations to ---
2001 Alumnus of the Year

Pastor Clement A. Murray

Communications Director
Northeastern Conference
and
A Loyal Son of Oakwood

Compliments of Your Friends
Mrs. Edna Lett Williamson and
Judge Eardell J. Rashford

"Lives of Great Men Reached and Kept Were not Attained by Sudden Slight But They, While their Companions Slept Were Toiling upward in the Night."

Congratulations to our former Pastor

Clement A. Murray

From your Beloved Deaconesses of Ephesus SDA Church
Clora Smith - Chair Lady
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Eileen Jackson - Assistant
Ribina Salmon - Assistant
Sally Watkins - Assistant

CONGRATULATIONS

to

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Author of the new book
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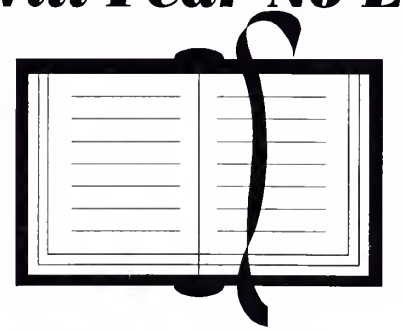

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Congratulations!!!

CLEMENT A. MURRAY

A. Samuel Rashford Chapter
Oakwood College alumni Association
ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR

Your tireless effort helps make the Communication Department of Northeastern Conference and the Adventist Church more meaningful. Your innovative ideas have helped to set a new standard and pace.

Congrats! also on your new book
"I Will Fear No Evil"

Northeastern Conference Communication
Gloria Felder, Secretary

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CONGRATULATES

OUR FORMER PASTOR, CLEMENT A. MURRAY, WHO ENTHUSIASTICALLY SERVED US FROM 1977-1980.

WE ARE TRULY PROUD OF ALL OF YOUR GOD GIVEN TALENTS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS, ESPECIALLY IN THE COMMUNICATIONS FIELD.

MAY YOU CONTINUE TO ACHIEVE YOUR IDEALS FOR THE COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT AND WE PRAY THAT IT WILL CONTINUE TO FEFLECT YOUR VISION FOR THE FUTURE.

GOD'S RICHEST BLESSINGS TO YOU IN ALL OF YOUR ENDEAVORS!

"IF YOUR MIND CAN CONCEIVE IT, AND YOUR HEART CAN BELIEVE IT, THEN YOU CAN ACHIEVE IT."

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS
EBENEZER SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
FREEPORT, NEW YORK
DR. NORMAN E. SNIPES, PASTOR

Congratulations to Clement Murray

May God forever bless and keep you in His presence

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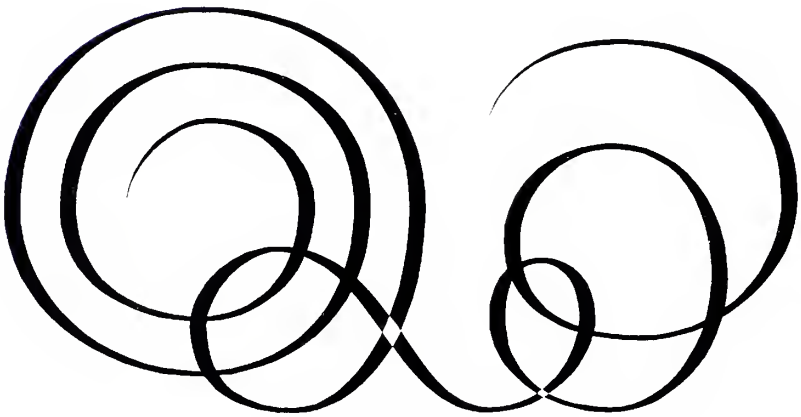


The Administration of the Northeastern Conference

CONGRATULATES

PASTOR CLEMENT A. MURRAY

The A. Samuel Rashford Chapter
Oakwood College Alummni Association

ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR

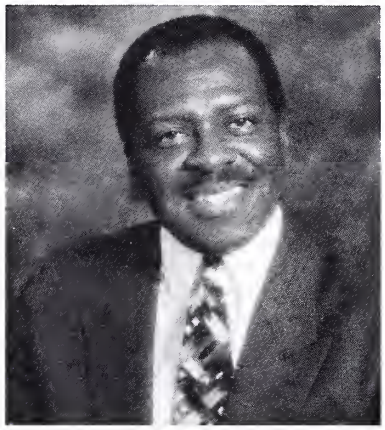
Congratulations also on your new book
I WILL FEAR NO EVIL

Donal G. King
President

Trevor H. C. Baker
Secretary

Larry D. Word
Treasurer

Congratulations To
Clement A. Murray
Alumnus fo the Year - 2001



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The Officers and Members
of
Ephesus Seventh-day Adventist Chruch

Congratulate

Clement A. Murray

Alumnus of the Year

Your Creative Vision, Inspired Leadership and Enthusiasm for Ministry is an Inspiration to us.

May the Lord continue to bless you as you strive to accomplish His will.

Ephesus Seventh-day Adventist Church
101 West 123 rd Street
New York, New York
April 14, 2001

Sherwin S. Jack
Senior Pastor

Roger R. Wade
Associate/Youth Pastor

Congratulations
to our Special Friend

on this very well deserved honor!
"2001 Alumnus of the Year"

Betty and Walter Isensee

We are delighted to salute
Pastor C.A. Murray
We still remember the fireside chats you
frequently shared with us in the
"Office by the Side of the Road"
on Sabbath afternoons.

We wish you God's richest blessings.

Your friends in the Ephesus Treasury Department

M. Lister, Treasurer *R. Cunningham, Associate*

CONGRATULATIONS
AND
BEST WISHES
TO

Pastor
Clement Murray

YOU ARE VERY SPECIAL TO US!!!

--THE DARVILLES

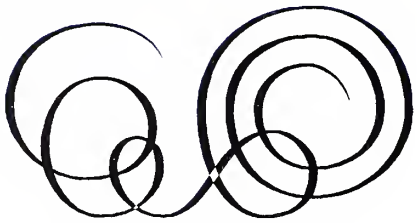
Congratulations to Clement A. Murray, a "Man for All Seasons"
on the occasion of your being honored as
Oakwood College's alumnus of the Year.

Your tenacity and brillance in the fild of communications
is surpassed by none.

May God continue to bless and keep you as you work in His vineyard
to ready souls for the kingdom through this medium.

With love and appreciation,

Mike and Darleen Simmonds



Congratulations
Pastor Murray

May God continue to bless you richly.

Pastor & Mrs. Lionel Martell and family

Congratulations!!!
to
Elder C. A. Murray

Uniondale Early Childhool Center
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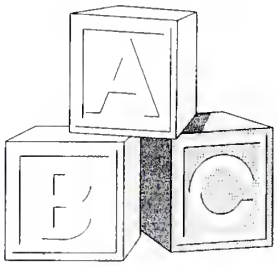

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Elder Clement A. Murray

on your selection as

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of the Year

Trevor & Eunice Baker

Congratulations!!!
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A. Samuel Rashford Chapter
Oakwood Alumni Association
ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR
God Bless You!!!

William D. Felder, Pastor
Brooklyn, Mounr of Olives

Gloria J. Felder
NEC Communication

Certificate of Merit – Allegheny East Conference

Gwendowlyn Winston Foster, MPH

This vivacious, dedicated Christian woman is a fourth generation Seventh-day Adventist. Her paternal grandfather, Elder William Henry Winston, and her maternal great-grandfather, Elder Storey, were pioneer African-American pastors who were introduced to the denomination by Ellen G. White.

Gwen attended Oakwood College. After receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree in Education she matriculated at Loma Linda University receiving a Master of Science in Public Health. She is a Health Education Specialist, certified by the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc. she has done post graduate studies in the Department of Public Health at the University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland.

While working as a Bible worker for Allegheny East Conference, Gwen's concern went further than giving Bible studies. She tells the story of the lady with whom she was studying became anxious when it was time for her children to return home from school and she had no meal for them. Gwen took the healthy items she found in the woman's kitchen and made her a delicious meal - oatmeal patties, bread and salad. Thus, began her health ministry. She organized the **Fitness for Life Homestyle** which provided health information to neighborhood block to block.

Gwen served as Health Director of Allegheny East Conference for 22 years. As health editor for *Message Magazine*, she shared many delicious healthy recipes. Her development of the **Fitness for Life Conditioning Camp** attracted people with chronic degenerative diseases to assist them in changing destructive life-style patterns. Her **Lifestyle Counselor Certification Program** provided skills to laymen and pastors, to enable them to become effective leaders in helping people, one-on-one, to alter destructive lifestyle patterns.

A multi talented woman, music has an integral part of Gwen's life. She began directing the Ebenezer SDA Church choir when she was 13 years old. She is the music director for the Allegheny East camp meetings. She directed the Pine Forge Academy Choir for several years. The rendition of "Lift Up the Trumpet" arranged by Reger Smith was first performed by the choir under her direction. As director of the choir, Gwen demanded perfection of her choir members as many prepared to enter Oakwood College. Many of those under her tutelage became star members of the Acolians.

She and her husband Allen W. Foster, are a musical team second to none. As the director of social services for the Head Start program in the Philadelphia school district, he is also a minister of music for the Ebenezer Church. As a musical team, they attract audiences from cities on the east coast when they present their annual performance of Handel's Messiah. They have three adult children, Joya Follette (Lysle, III), and Angela Griffen (Maurice). They have two grandchildren. Their son, Allen Jr. is deceased.

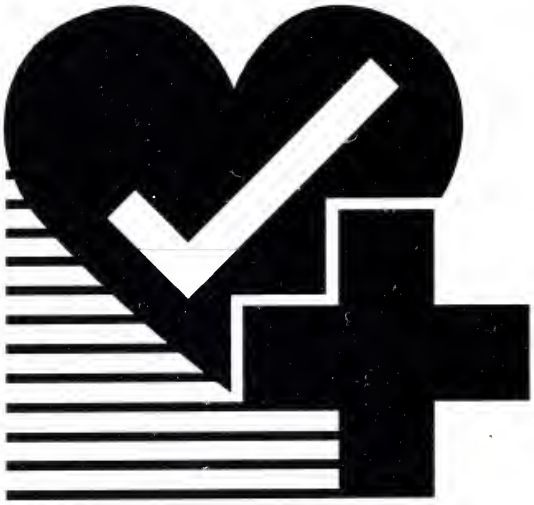
Most recently, Gwen was appointed Health and Fitness Czar of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania by another Oakwood Alumni, Mayor John Street. Since the city has been labeled the most unhealthy city in America, Gwen has a mission to make Philadelphia the most health city.

Along with her recognitions as Alumna of the Year, Loma Linda University School of Public Health, recipient of the Campion Educator of the Year Award, Oakwood College, Alumna of the Year, Loma Linda University and Black Alum of the Year, Loma Linda University, we are proud to award Gwendolyn Winston Foster Certificate of Merit, Allegheny East Conference.

Congratulations

to

Gwendolyn Winston Foster



Your work in the church
and in the community makes
you worthy of this award.

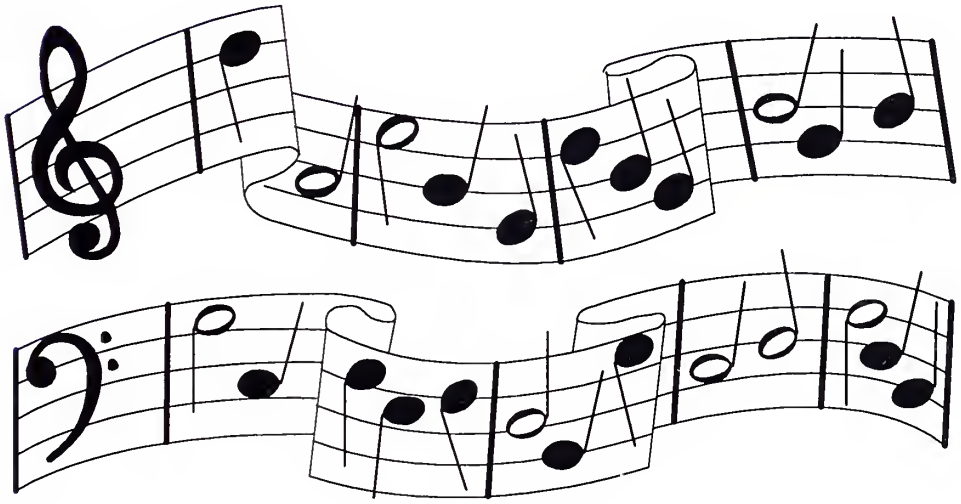
Esther Ottley
Silver Springs, Maryland

CONGRATULATIONS

GWENDOLYN W. FOSTER

As the Recipient of the
Merit Award for Allegheny East Conference

May God Bless You



The Sanctuary Church Choir
Ebenezer SDA Church
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Allen W. Foster
Minister of Music

Haywood Weatherford
Pastor

A special thank you to
Gwendolyn Foster
For your years of dedication ,
and enthusiasm expertise
For proving to be an excellent leader,
mentor and friend

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH MINISTRIES

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WE CONGRATULATE AND SALUTE WITH GREAT PRIDE
Allegheny East Conference Certificate of Merit

Gwendolyn W. Foster

We have watched Gwen serve this entire conference for many decades. She has shown stalwartness for youth and served as a Christian role model. Gwen worked long and hard for many years to train the youth for service. She asked for very little in return. Gwen led out in keeping the mind and body fit for service and God's blessings. We are so proud of how she has used her many God given talents for His people and His causes. She loves the Lord and awaits His second coming. She exemplifies conference leadership. We are extremely proud that she is representing our conference for the Oakwood College Alumni Award.

Compliments of
Metropolitan-Washington Oakwood College Alumni Chapter

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We Salute

The Allegheny East Conference
Certificate of Merit Honoree

Gwendolyn Winston Foster
(The Health Czar of Philadelphia)

No better person could have been chosen for that position in the "City of Brotherly Love". We are proud of your accomplishments. You have made a spiritually healthy impact in the Allegheny East Conference and around North America.

"...above everything else I want things to go well with you and for your body to be as healthy as your soul."
3 John 2, Clear Word

May God continue to bless you as you impart the health message in a way that even a child can understand.

Melvin and Marie Seard (Regional Vice President)

OPERATION REACHBACK

CONGRATULATES

GWENDOLYN FOSTER

Administrator
Bible Worker
Civic Leader
Health Professional
Lecturer
Musician
Woman of Courage, Faith and Might

Mary Pulliam, Secretary ● Wilbur Daniels, Treasurer
Calvin B. Rock, Chairman

Gwen Winston Foster, MPH

Philadelphia City Health Czar
Health Educator
Fitness Camp Director
Pine Forge Academy Choir Director (Former)
Bible Worker
Wife, Daughter, Mother, and Friend

They talk about a woman's sphere
As though it had a limit,
There's not a task to mankind given;
There's not a blessing or a woe;
There's not a whispered "yes" or "no";
There's not a life, there's not a birth,
That has a feather's weight of worth
Without a woman in it.

Presented with love and pride by
Cleo Sharpe Winston
Gladyce Brooks
Jacqueline and Jimmy

Gwen,

Your hard work, vision, and God's grace have taken you
from Bradley Avenue to Market Street.
Glory to His name.
Mother and Daddy would be as proud as are we.
We pray God will continue to bless your ministries
of healing and music.

Congratulations!

Your Friends,
Donna Davis-Cameron, PhD - Burtonsville, MD
Lynn Davis - Decatur, GA
Nicceta (Nikki) Davis, PhD - Loma Linda, CA

In Memory of
Lela & Billy Davis

Certificate of Merit – Allegheny West Conference

Jacqueline Elizabeth Parris

Jackie (as she prefers to be called) was born Jacqueline Elizabeth Henry to Morris and Maxine Henry in Springfield, Ohio. She considers herself blessed to be born into a Christian Seventh-day Adventist family, whose patriarch, Guy Henry (her grandfather), was a charter member of the South Fountain Seventh-day Adventist Church in Springfield. At an early age, until she left for college, Jackie manifested her love for Christ and his church by serving in various capacities, because she wanted to see the programs of the Lord continue. If a position needed to be filled, she was a ready volunteer. As a result, she has been church pianist, AYS leader, minister of music, assistant treasurer, and choir director of a youth group.

One of Jackie's desires was fulfilled when she became a student at Oakwood in 1968. Although she had never visited the campus before her matriculation, she had heard and met graduates of Oakwood, and were impressed with their demeanor and devotion to Christ. She attended one year as a student in English and journalism. Following her tenture at Oakwood, she transferred to Wright State University in Dayton, Ohio where she continued her studies in the aforementioned fields. During her matriculation at Wright State University, she met and married Clifford Parris with whom she had two wonderful children, Kiisha (daughter) and Khalid (son).

When Clifford accepted a graduate fellowship to attend The Ohio State University (OSU), Jackie decided to accompany him and work at the university. She continues to work there as an office coordinator for the director of Student Judicial Affairs where she coordinates the office activities; assists in managing the judicial process for a student population of 48,000 by organizing and preparing cases for adjudication and implementing systems and policies; maintains judicial records, conducts background checks for bar examining boards, FBI and other government agencies. Jackie remains active at the university. She has served as office coordinator for the OSU Campus/United Way Campaign and Operation Feed Campaign; member of the Critical Difference for Women Re-Entry Scholarship Committee; member of the Administrative Professional Development Program (advisory committee to develop curriculum for office staff); and chairperson for the Brown Bag Luncheon/Music Series to promote diversity within the Department of Student Services.

Jackie has been an active member of the Columbus Chapter of the Oakwood College Alumni, since 1986. She has participated in various activities with the Columbus Chapter.

To promote the matriculation and graduation of students from historically black colleges, Jackie became a member of the Columbus branch of the Inter-Alumni Council (an affiliate of the United Negro College Fund), where she served as program chairperson for the James E. Stamp Alumni Recognition Dinner in September 2000.

Jackie considers her greatest achievement to be the graduation of her two children from Oakwood College in 1997 and 1998 respectively. She accredits that achievement to the Lord. She recognizes that without Him, the goal could not have been reached, especially since she was a single parent by the time the children arrived at Oakwood.

Jackie remains active in the church – Ephesus Seventh-day Adventist Church in Columbus, Ohio. Throughout the years, she has served as church pianist, Sabbath School teacher for the primary class, Sabbath School Superintendent for the Children's Division, choir member of Oasis, choir director for two children's choirs, choir pianist for another children's choir; head clerk, and member of the Singles Ministries Committee.

Jackie has one more desire and that is to see Jesus. He is her Comforter, Friend, and Provider. "For I was young and now I am old, but I have never seen the righteous forsaken, nor His seed begging bread." Psalms 37:25.

Certificate of Merit – Lake Region Conference

Joseph Peele, Sr.

Joseph Peele was born in Suffolk, Virginia. He lived with his Grandmother and she realized at an early age that he enjoyed greeting people. As a result of his outgoing personality she encouraged him to join the Usher Board at her Church. At the age of nine, Joseph moved to New York City where he attended the public schools and continued to serve on the Usher Board in his Mother's Church.

In the mid 50's, his neighbor and friend, Elder John Champion, extended an invitation to the Peele family to take bible studies and attend the Mt. Vernon S.D.A. Church, in Mt. Vernon, New York; they accepted. After visiting the Church and receiving such a loving and friendly welcome from the members, the Peele's decided to continue their bible studies and later accepted the Third Angels Message.

Brother Peele has always enjoyed ushering and has been an avid supporter of Youth and Christian Education. Joseph Peele, Otis Butler and several other church members formed the Northeastern Usher Federation. The primary purpose of the Federation was to serve at large gatherings in the Northeastern Conference (Campmeetings, Youth Federations, Evangelistic Campaigns, etc.) in effort to raise funds for financial assistance to students pursuing education.

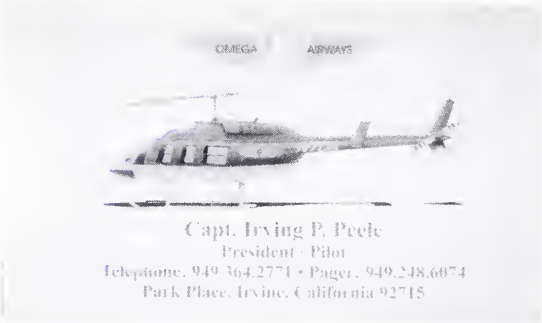
One of the greatest enjoyments of Bro. Peele's life is serving God with his gift of ushering. He has had the opportunity over the past forty years to usher and assist most of the Great Regional Evangelist of the Seventh Day Adventist Church, and has served at many Regional Conference and General Conference meetings.

Joseph Peele is currently serving in the Lake Region Conference. He and his wife, Vera are members of the Bethany Chapel S.D.A. Church in Elkhart, IN, where he serves as Elder, Personal Ministries Leader and Head Usher. He also serves as Chaplain of the Charles E. Dudley Chapter of Oakwood Alumni.

Brother Peele is proud of his three children who are all products of Christian education. Joseph Peele, Jr. is a retired Correctional Officer of the New York Police Department, Captain Irving Peele, of Laguna, California is a Pilot with American Airlines and Angela Blake of Bronx, New York is a Teacher and Singer.

To God Be the Glory, Great Things He Has Done.

Congratulations
POP
JOSEPH PEELE, SR.



CONGRATULATIONS

TO

MR. JOSEPH PEELE

AS OAKWOOD COLLEGE ALUMNI HONOREE FOR YEAR 2001

THANK YOU FOR YOUR MANY YEARS OF FAITHFUL SERVICE
FROM THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF

MAYWOOD COMMUNITY SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

MAYWOOD, ILLINOIS

DR. MURRAY E. JOINER, PASTOR

CONGRATULATIONS
TO
ELDER JOSEPH PEELE, SR.

Lake Region Conference
Certificate of Merit Honoree

Niles Philadelphia Seventh-day Adventist Church
1327 Broadway
Niles, Michigan 49120

Donald Bedney, Pastor

The Family of Pastor Rey Everett and
Dr. Regina Spears-Everett would like to
Congratulate

Elder Joseph Peele

of

The Lake Region Conference of SDA

The Usher's Usher

Julius, Josiah, Freddie, Jo Helen

Congratulations
to
Elder Joseph Peele Sr.

On being chosen to receive the 2001
Lake Region Conference
Certificate of Merit Award
We are proud of you

Compliments of your Indianapolis Friends
Thomasine Longware Wright
&
Lizzie Mae Strange

The Charles E. Dudley Chapter of the Oakwood College National Alumni Association

Congratulates

Lake Region Conference 2001 Certificate of Merit Honoree

Joseph Peele Sr.

Compliments of

Vera Peele, President
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Nickey Lawson
Joseph Peele, Sr.
Philip Smith
Debleaire Snell
Carol Washington
Hattie Washington

South Bend, Indiana

Congratulations

to

Joseph Peele

Certificate of Merit Honoree
Lake Region Conference

Seest thou a man diligent in his business: he shall stand before kings; he shall not stand before mean men. Proverbs 22:29

Hyde Park SDA Church
Chicago, Illinois

Dr. Norman K. Miles
Pastor

Congratulations and Best Wishes

Lake Region Conference

Alumni Honoree

Elder Joseph Peele, Sr.

Lake Region Conference of Seventh-day Adventists
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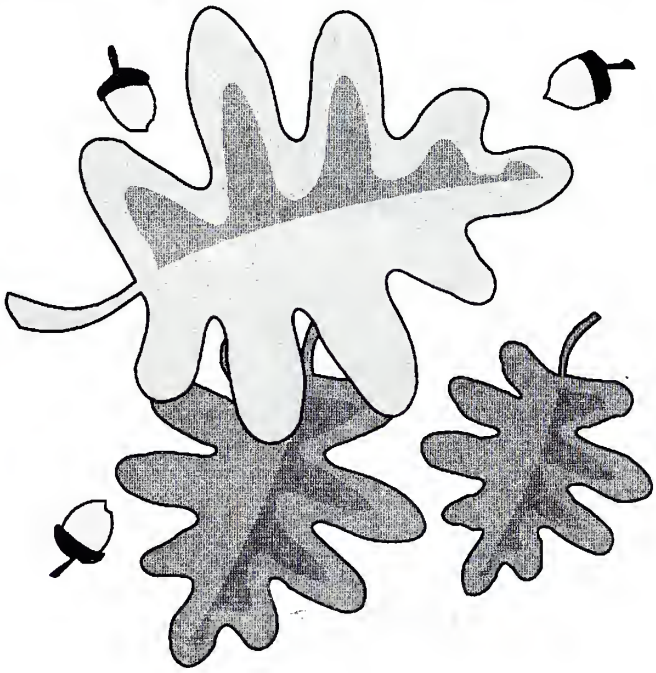

We pray that God's blessings will continue to rest upon you.

Morgan Park S.D.A. Church
1543 W. 110th Street
Chicago, IL 60643

Claude Shaw, Jr
Pastor

CONGRATULATIONS
to
Elder Joseph Peele, Sr.

Lake Region Conference 2001
Certificate of Merit Honoree

May God's Blessings Follow You
As You Continue in His Service

The Rupert Ham-Ying,I Family
Sylvia, Jewell
Philip,I and Rupert Ham-Ying, II

Lake Region Certificate of Merit
Joseph Peele, Sr.

Bro. Peele has managed to gleefully touch the lives of so many of us. Chiefly, he has been able to accomplish this through his service to the church(es). As we recount the varying ways we encountered Bro. Peele, we will be hard-pressed to recall a time when he wasn t filled with joy...we would find it difficult to recall a time when he did not share an encouraging word. City Temple feels honored to honor the influence Joseph Peel, Sr. has made to Christian Education.

City Temple of Seventh-day Adventists
8816 Grand River
Detroit, MI 48204
313-897-0506

Michael R. Bernard, Pastor

Congratulations

We applaud you for your outstanding contribution, service and years of faithfulness to the Seventh-Day Adventist Church, Christian Education and Oakwood College.

Mr. Joseph Peele

As the recipient of the

Certificate of Merit Award
For
Lake Region Conference of SDA

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Congratulations to our
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Joseph Peele, Sr.
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Certificate of Merit Honoree
for your dedicated service during our campmeetings.

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"But he that is greatest among you shall be your servant, and whosoever shall exalt himself shall be abassed; and he that shall humble himself shall be exalted."
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Your Family,

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Best Wishes and Congratulations to

Elder Joseph Peele, Sr.

For your dedicated leadership and commitment to Christian Education and our youth.

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Congratulations to our Elder and Usher

Joseph Peele, Sr.

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Lake Region Conference

May God continue to bless you as you serve faithfully in His vineyard.

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and
Congratulations

Joseph Peele, Sr.

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CONGRATULATIONS
AND
BEST WISHES

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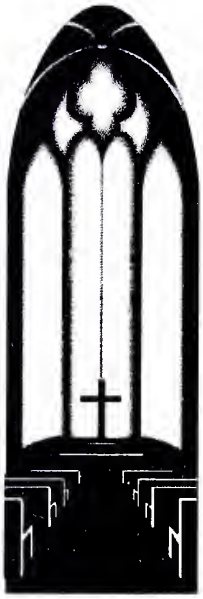
Congratulations
God bless you for
your years of
service.

Daisy A. Beaumont



Congratulations
to
Joseph Peele

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Church
Gary, Indiana

Congratulations
Joseph Peele, Sr.

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James & Myrna McClain
Nile, Michigan

Congratulations
and
Best Wishes
to
Our Brother-in-Law

Elder Joseph Peele, Sr.

Keep up the Good Work

Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Banks

Congratulations
to
Uncle Joe

On Your Award as Honoree

May God Bless the dedicated
service you do for others.

Love,
The Banks Family
L. Anthony, Pat, T'myra & Tia
Woodridge, Virginia

Certificate of Merit – Honoree, 2001 Northeastern Conference

Carroll W. Tyler

Carroll Tyler is the son of the late Mattie Tyler, an Oakwoodite during the 1930's. Presently a resident of Bronx, New York, Carroll was born in Jackson, Mississippi an hour after the birth of his twin sister, Carolyn.

Carroll received his elementary education at Berea Seventh-Day Adventist School in Jackson and Manhattan Elementary School, now renamed R.T. Hudson School, in the Bronx.

He later attended Northeastern Academy, Oakwood College, and completed his education at New York City Police Academy.

From 1962 to 1966, he was a United States Marine attaining the rank of E-5 Sergeant. Carroll was a member of the New York City Police Force 25 years and received several merit awards. He retired in 1992. A friend and mentor who had a profound impact on his life was a fellow police officer, Justus Lester.

Our honoree loves people and engages in many community activities. He conducted a successful "After School" Project benefitting 450 young people. He served as a youth counselor at Victory Lake Camp in Hyde Park, New York.

Carroll is a member of Ephesus Seventh-Day Adventist Church where he and his wife Donetta attend Sabbath School and church regularly.

The Tyler's are parents of 4 children: Michael, Darius, Angela, and Marci and grandparents of 4 grandchildren.

Carroll serves faithfully in the A. Samuel Rashford Chapter of the Oakwood College Alumni Association. Recently he was coordinator of the Annual End-of-Summer Picnic and a program participant at the Annual Oakwood Alumni Day in New Rochelle, and the Oakwood Alumni Retreat at Garden State Academy in Tranquillity, New Jersey.

Hobbies enjoyed by "Brother" as he is affectionately know by his friends include hunting, fishing, traveling, bowling, softball and being a food gourmet. He is a member of fishing and hunting clubs.

His mother, Mattie Tyler, was a "problem solver" always assuring Carroll she "was praying for him and everything will be all right." She loved the Lord and served Him faithfully!

Carroll's favorite pursuit is helping people!!!

The A. Samuel Rashford Chapter of the Oakwood Alumni Association proudly salutes Carroll Tyler as its "Certificate of Merit Honoree" for year 2001.

CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES TO
CARROLL WILLIAM TYLER

Northeastern Conference Certificate of Merit Honoree

May God Bless You Abundantly As You Continue to Serve
Your Local Chapter and Support Oakwood College

In Loving Memory of Our Beloved Mother & Grandmother
Whom we plan to meet in the earth made new.

SIS. MATTIE TYLER

Lovingly Your Dear Family
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Doretha Tyler - Wife
Le Roy & Angel Williams - Nephew & Neice
Michael & Sandra Tyler - Son & Daughter-In-Law
Robbynne & Jordan Tyler - Grand Children
Tyler &Tyrel Williams - Grand Nephews

Congratulations & Best Wishes
To Our Beloved
Brother Carroll Tyler
Northeastern Conference
Certificate of Merit Honoree

"Be thou faithful unto death, and
I will give thee a crown of life."
Rev. 2:10

From the members of S.S. #31
Ephesus Seventh-day Adventist Chruch
New York City

Elder Denzil Bridges - Teacher
Judge Eardell Rashford - Asst. Teacher

Congratulations to:
Northeastern Conference
Certificate of Merit Honoreee

CARROLL TYLER

A faithful member of the A. Samuel Rashford Chapter
of the Oakwood College Alumni Association

Compliments of Your Friends
Eardell J. Rashford & Edna Lett Williamson
Life Members - O.C.A.A.

Congratulations to Carroll Tyler

Certificate of Merit Honoree
Northeastern Conference

And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither, and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper. Psalms 1:3

Esther and Sol Siegel
New York, New York

CONGRATULATIONS

NORTHEASTERN CERTIFICATE OF MERIT HONOREE

CARROLL TYLER

A Son of Oakwood and
A Loyal Member of the
A. S. Rashford Chapter of O.C.A.A.

Compliments of Officers and Members

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and Membership Chairperson

CONGRATULATIONS
AND
BEST WISHES
To My Husband

CARROLL W. TYLER
Certificate of Merit Honoree

Trust in the Lord with all thine heart: and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths.
Proverbs3:5,6

Lovingly your wife,
Doretha Tyler

Congratulations
and
Best Wishes
to
Carroll William Tyler

Certificate of Merit Honoree
Northeastern Conference

In Loving Memory of Our
Beloved Sister & Aunt

Mattie J. Tyler

Forever in our hearts who served faithful to God, the church, Christian Education and her family.

Lovingly the Family
Curtis & Carrie Young
Curtis Jr., Robert, Gerald,
Darlene, Gregory, Mary, Michael

I can do all things through Christ
which strengtheneth me.
Phil. 4:13

Congratulations
Mr. Carroll Tyler
on your honorable occasion

Also in precious memory of
Mrs. Mattie Tyler
Our Mentor

LeRoy & Bessie Tyler

CARROLL TYLER

Remember that all important truths are simple.

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CARROLL TYLER

As an advocate of Christian Education you deserve this award and so we salute you for being a 2001 awardee.

Just remember in all thy ways to acknowledge God and He shall direct thy paths.

Congratulations and Best Wishes,
Sidney & Olivia Nicholson

Congratulations

CARROLL TYLER

Mrs. Billie M. Crosslin
Atlanta, Georgia

Certificate of Merit – South Central Conference

Alean W. Middleton

Alean W. Middleton was born in New Madrid, Missouri, the eldest child of the late Ernest and Bertha Mitchell. She was reared in a Christian home even though her parents were not acquainted with the Three Angels' Messages. Her paternal grandfather was a Baptist minister and she grew up in church. Even as a child, she always had an active part in the church.

At the age of seven her family moved to Toledo, Ohio where she received her elementary and secondary education. She always had an interest in business so she pursued advanced studies in Business Administration with a major in Accounting.

Alean's first employment was with the Federal Government, in Rossford, Ohio. During this time she met Alyce Thomas, wife of the local church pastor, who invited her to take Bible lessons. After successfully completing the course she was baptized. She was the first member of her immediate family to embrace these Bible truths.

A few years later she transferred to a civil service position in Harrisburg, PA where she stayed until 1964. She then accepted another transfer with the Government to Pasadena, CA. Her first interest was to find a church home. She united with The Berean Church, in Los Angeles, where her two daughters, Paula and Carmell, were baptized.

In 1967 she left Federal employment and accepted a position as Secretary/Administrative Assistant in the Office of Regional Affairs of the Pacific Union Conference. It was there that she met James P. Middleton and they were married in 1968. She continued employment with the Pacific Union Conference, Black Ministries Department, for nearly 20 years.

Alean did not have the opportunity to attend Oakwood College, but after marrying an Oakwoodite, she gained love for the College and in 1971 started supporting it through the Alumni Association in the Los Angeles area.

In 1976, at a meeting with Oakwood College representatives, who came to Los Angeles to reorganize the Alumni Chapter, she was elected President of ***Californians for Oakwood College Alumni Association.*** In 1983, she was elected Regional Vice President for the ***National Oakwood College Alumni Association.*** She then organized chapters in the Bay Area, Inland Empire (Riverside/San Bernardino), San Diego and Arizona (Phoenix and Tucson). Year after year thousands of dollars were sent from the West Coast to Oakwood College to support students from their respective areas. She continually served in both capacities until she left California in 1991, and still holds a Lifetime Membership in ***Californians for Oakwood College Alumni Association.***

Because of Alean's "Faithful and Dedicated Service" she was presented the ***Distinguished Service Award*** by Officers and Board of Trustee members at Oakwood College Commencement on June 3, 1984. She continued her enthusiasm and in 1986 she was elected to the Oakwood College Board of Trustees. She served two five-year terms and on June 6, 1996 she received a ***Resolution of Appreciation*** for her faithful service on several committees.

After the untimely death of her husband, in 1988, Alean was left alone to make decisions for her future. As she had launched a new career in Real Estate in Los Angeles, she moved to Huntsville in June, 1991 and secured her Realtor & Broker License for the State of Alabama. In January, 1992 she opened a sole proprietorship, ***A. Middleton Real Estate.*** Today it has become the largest African-American owned and operated Real Estate business in Huntsville, with 10 Realtors and one Associate Broker.

Alean is a member of the Oakwood College Church. She has served as Assistant Treasurer, Assistant Church Clerk, Receptionist, and has held membership on the following committees: Finance, Church Renovation, Religious Liberty and Disabilities Ministries. She is also a member of the J. L. Moran Alumni Chapter. She has served as chairperson of the following committees: Constitution and Bylaws, Membership, and Social, also Assistant Treasurer.

Alean W. Middleton has received many other plaques and awards for her outstanding service to the Church, her family and her career. To God Be The Glory!

CONGRATULATIONS

MRS. ALEAN MIDDLETON

South Central Conference of Seventh-day Adventists
Certificate of Merit Honoree

for your longstanding involvement and support to the Oakwood College Alumni Association and its chapters in recent years in the states of California and Alabama and currently to the J.L. Moran Alumni Chapter in Huntsville. May God continue to bless you for your interest in promoting Christian Education and as you share your Christian faith through contacts in your A. Middleton Real Estate Business.

Your Friends,
Luetilla M. Carter
Gilbert & Ruby Foster
Dr. & Mrs. Garland (Ursella) Millett
Wendell & Ruthe (Fordhar) Perkins
Lovey Davis Verdun

Congratulations Alean W. Middleton

on your being selected for Certificate of Merit
South Central Conference

We love you and we are so proud of you!

Your Children & Grandc hildren

CONGRATULATIONS

To The
Certificate of Merit Honoree
For
South Central Conference

Alean W. Middleton

Officers & Members of J.L. Moran Chapter
(In Memory of Elizabeth Rice)

Alean Middleton has been a faithful member of the J. L. Moran Chapter and has served as Chairperson of several committees, such as: Constitution and Bylaws, membership, Social, Scholarship, and Assistant Treasurer

CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES

To Our Broker

Alean W. Middleton

Certificate of Merit Honoree 2001
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(l-r, top to bottom) Edith Eason, Rena Lott, Gilbert Foster, Angela Muhammad, Jewel Joiner, Ron Childress, Karnice Holoway, Alen Middleton, Hildaura Cowan. Now shown: Mike Jacobs

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ALEAN W. MIDDLETON

Recipient of Certificate of Merit Award (South Central Conference)

For your faithful and dedicated service to God, the church, your family; and your commitment and support of Oakwood College

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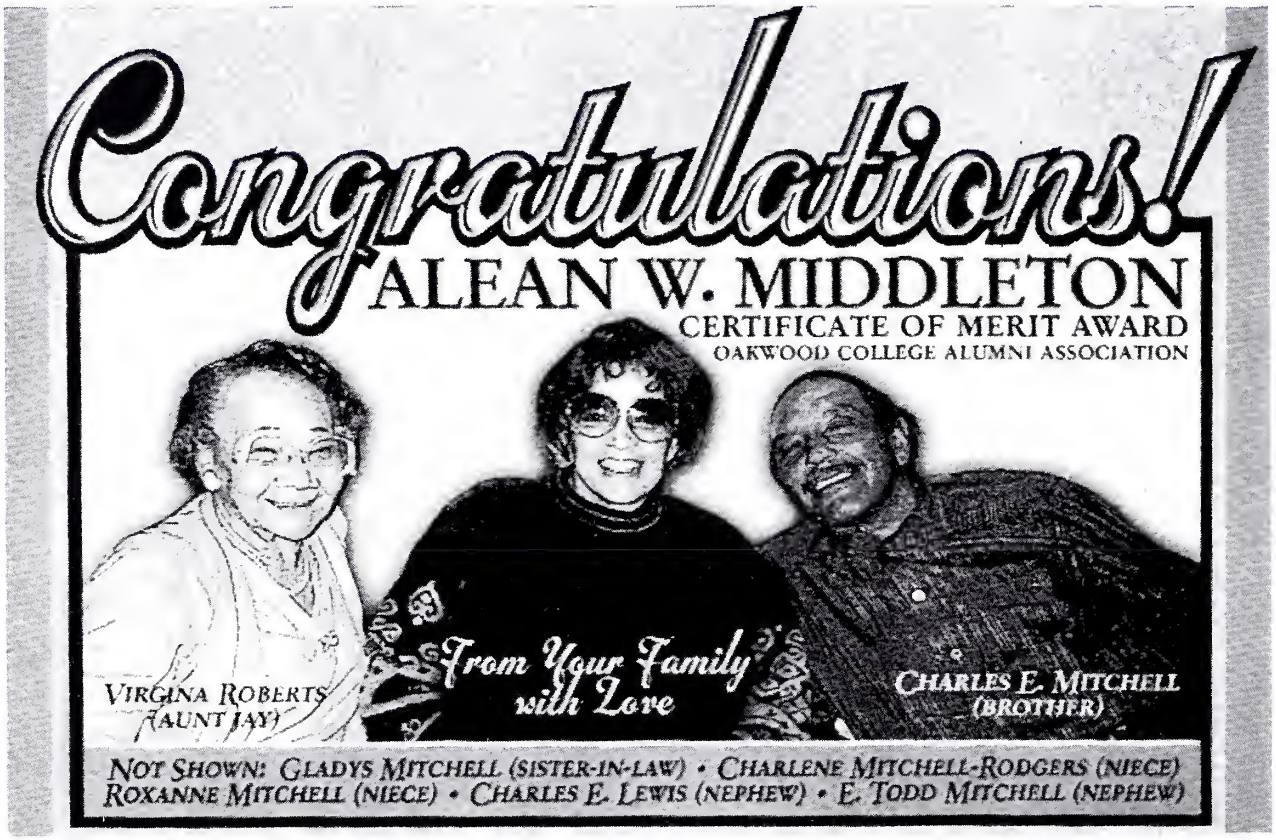

"Who can find a virtuous woman? ... She considereth a field, and buyeth it...let her own works praise her in the gates.

Proverbs 31:10-31

Congratulations and Best Wishes to...

Mrs. Estella Gully Greene

2001 Alumna of the Year

A par excellence teacher and dedicated soul winner

Mrs. Alean Middleton

2001 Certificate of Merit Honoree

Outstanding Real Estate Entrepreneur

~ ~ ~

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Author: To The Unknown God-The God of Science and the Bible

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Continue to reach out to others.

Annell M. Wright

Congratulations

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Certificate of Merit – Southeastern Conference

Mozell Mills Lockett

Mozell Mills was born on February 15, 1915, the eldest daughter of Shirley and Solomon Mills. In 1930 the Mills Family attended an evangelistic crusade in Montclair, NJ, conducted by Pastor J. M. Cambell. As a result, the entire family of eight was baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist Church. In the fall of 1934, Mozell Mills traveled to Huntsville, Alabama and enrolled at Oakwood Junior College on a Message Magazine Scholarship.

During her first Christmas at Oakwood College, Mozell met a young, handsome Theology student named Edgar A. Lockett in the dining hall, and they soon became friends. Friendship turned into romance and the following Christmas they were engaged. And on Christmas Eve 1936, Edgar Lockett and Mozell Mills were married. To this union was born one son, Edgar A. Lockett, Jr., who is affectionately called Sonny." Sonny and wife Charleen live in Dallas, Texas where he is a physician. They have four children: Charlene, Kimberlee, Kelli, Brent and Rachel.

For 40 years Edgar and Mozell Lockett ministered in the Seventh-day Adventist Church. They first served in the Texas Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. Followed by assignments in the Oklahoma Conference, and the Southern New England Conference: Connecticut District. The Lockett's were ministering in the New Haven/Bridgeport, Connecticut District in 1945, and were founding members of the "Great" Northeastern Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. In the churches Edgar served as pastor, and Mozell found her "niche" teaching children in the Youth Sabbath School, assisting with special programs. In 1977, the Lockett's retired and relocated to central Florida. Upon arrival, they became loyal and active supporters of the Greater Orlando Chapter of the Oakwood College Alumni Association.

On Christmas Eve in 1998, Edgar and Mozell celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary. Sadly, only 7 days later on New Years Eve, Elder Edgar Lockett Sr. passed away.

Mrs. Lockett remains active sewing, cooking and participating in community service. Her life is a daily example of a healthy Christian life-style. Mozell Mills Lockett daily extols to the world, love, knowledge and the values she learned at Oakwood Junior College and through a lifetime of serving people.

CONGRATULATIONS
MOZELLE MILLS LOCKETT

We the members of your family also share in honoring you as the Certificate of Merit Award for your life of service.

In recognition of your faithful dedication to God, your Alma Mater (Oakwood College), your Family and for the unconditional love that you have always shown to all, we lovingly congratulate you.

Love is patient; love is kind and envies no one. Love is never boastful, nor conceited, nor rude; never selfish, not quick to take offense. Love keeps no score of wrongs; does not gloat over other men's sins. but delights in the truth. There is nothing love cannot face; there is no limit to its faith, its hope, and its endurance.
1 Corinthians 13:4-7 (The New English Bible)

With Love,
Your Loving Son: Edgar A. Jr. (Charlene)
Grandchildren: Kimberlee, Kelli, Brent, & Rachel
Devoted Sisters: Anna M. Dade & Rosalie Mills
Nieces & Nephews: Samuel M. Jr., Annette, Eric, & Patricia
Grand Nieces & Nephews: Diana (Class 2002 OC),

Linden Church of Seventh-day Adventists
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CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES
TO

Mozelle Mills Lockett

Former First Lady of Linden
October 1959 to October 1967

As a recipient of an Oakwood College
Alumni Association Certificate of Merit Award

"Grace and Peace be multiplied unto you through the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord." 2 Peter 1:2

Dr. Allen C. Martin, Pastor
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OAKWOOD COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
GREATER ORLANDO CHAPTER

Mozell Mills Lockett

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Congratulations
Mozelle Lockett

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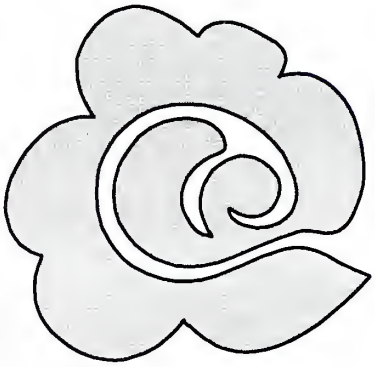

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Best Wishes
Mozelle Lockett

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Brent Waldon, Pastor

Tribute to a Great Lady

Mrs. Mozelle Mills Lockett

Whose accomplishments are legendary:
Homemaker
Mother
Partner in ministry
Career person in her own right
Caregiver extraordinaire
Lifelong friend and supporter of Oakwood College

"Give her the reward she has earned, and let her works bring her praise." Proverbs 31:31

Pastor & Mrs. Charles E. Bradford

Congratulations

Mozelle Mills Lockett

Oakwood College Homecoming 2001

Certificate of Merit Honoree
for
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Compliments
The Orlando King's Daughters Chapter II

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Miriam Aldridge, Treasurer
Margaret Hill, Sr. Chaplain

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Congratulations
to
Mozelle Mills Lockett
Certificate of Merit Honoree
for
Southeastern Conference

Compliments
Edna Lett Williamson
New York City

CONGRATULATIONS
MOZELLE MILLS LOCKETT

We rejoice in the recognition which has been accorded to you by the Oakwood College Alumni Association.

May God continue to bless you with the same irrepressible spirit, dynamic energy, valuable wisdom and love that you always share undselfishly with those in your midst.

We Love you,
Doris Thompson Woods
and family
Vienna, Virginia

Congratulations
&
Best Wishes
to
Mrs. Mozelle Mills Lockett

from
Your Friends
at
Grace Villa
Retirement Home
Orlando, Florida

HONOREE:
MOZELLE MILLS LOCKETT

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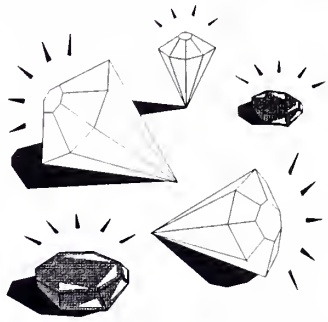
"Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies." Proverbs 31:10



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Stephen Sankey & Family
Susie Sankey

Congratulations

Joseph Peele
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and

Estell Greene
Alumna of the Year

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Congratulations

To

All Honorees
for
Homecoming 2001

Edwin and Margaret Humphrey Sr. and Family

Congratulations & God's Blessing

to

Estella Gully Greene

Oakwood College Alumna of the Year 2001

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Mrs. Alean W. Middleton

Certificate of Merit Honoree – 2001

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Mr. Joseph Peele, Sr.

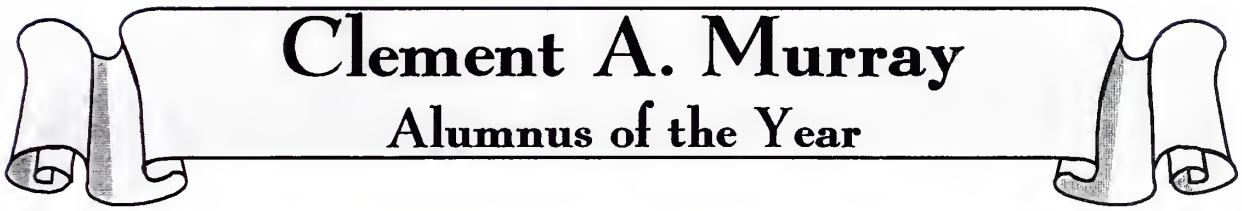
Certificate of Merit Honoree - 2001

In recognition of your many years of outstanding
and dedicated service to the Seventh-day Adventist Church,
to the cause of Christian Education,
and to the Oakwood College Association

Ms. Mandy J. Martin, Head Usher
Oakwood College Church
Huntsville, Alabama

The Ephesus Sabbath School Department

Salutes two distinguished gentlemen:



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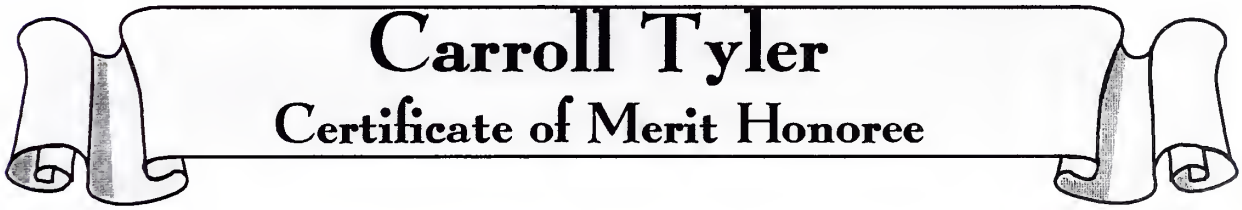

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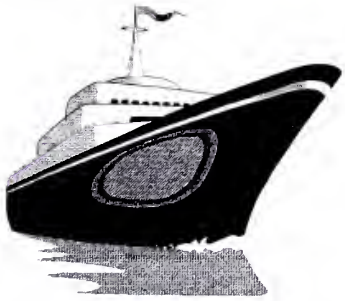

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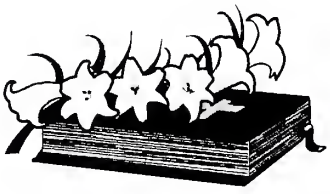

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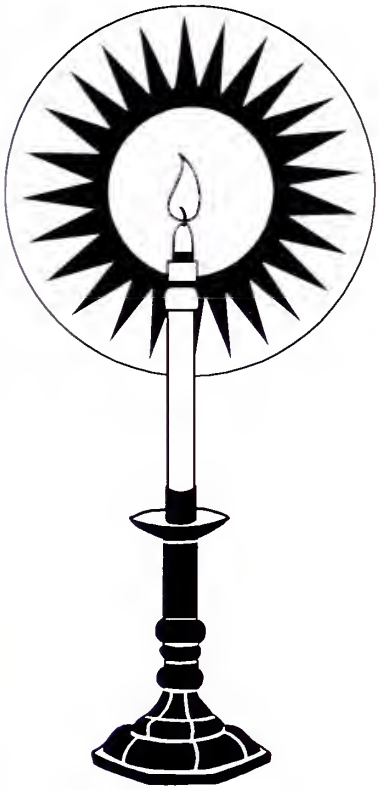

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Dedicated and extraordinary Principal of Oakwood Academy for over twenty-five years.

A true disciple of Jesus. Your light continues to shine.

Your wife,
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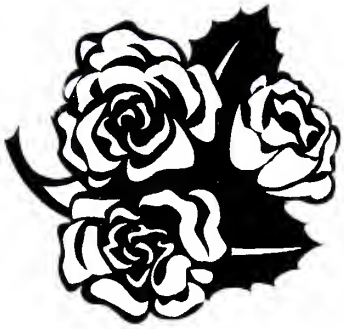

Mozelle Mills Lockett

It is with great pride that we acknowledge the fabulous achievement of these two incredible women of the Lord's work. We applaud the Alumni Association for their selection in honoring them. May you continue on in the Lord's vineyard until He comes.

Alvin and Gloria Singleton '65

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Jacqueline Parris

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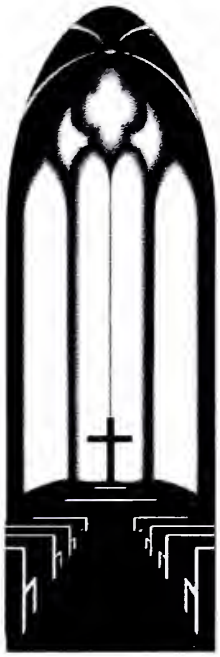

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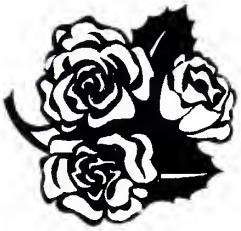

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The giving up of self we give you roses, God gives you eternity.

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We are grateful that we have a gentleman like you who has lived in such a way that you can be a mentor for many of our young people and church friends.
May God bless you as you continue to be faithful to your family and to your church.

--Cullen, Claudette & Leslie Phipps

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Mrs. Mozelle Mills

"Continue to be Faithful"

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Elder & Mrs. Eddie J. Hall, Sr.
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May God bless both of you and your every endeavor for Him

From,

Elder Linwood & Dr. Jennifer Stone

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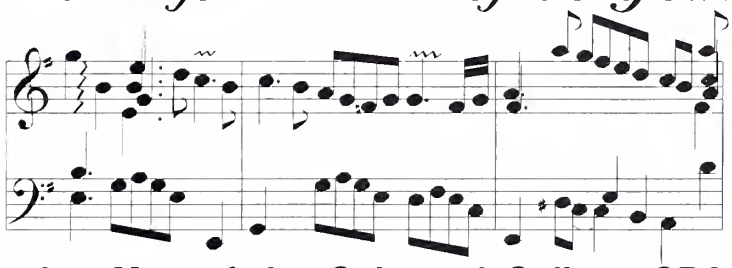

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And, above all, God will guide you-for His love is always there.
--Emily Matthews

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May the blessings of God
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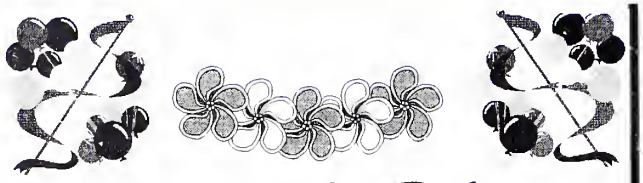

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-Ursilyn Swendel

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--Sylvia Murphy Bryan

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May God continue His blessings upon you.

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May God continue to bless you.
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Congratulations
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Psalm 37:23

Love,
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Congratulations
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Continue to serve God in all that you do.

Larry and Sandra Johnson

Congratulations
Carroll W. Tyler!!!
Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves.
You and Dee are my sunshine.

Lovingly,
Mary Belle Cole

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We love you and we are proud of you.
Continue to allow God to use you.

Love,
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Our faithful Elsie wil receive her reward when God summons her on Resurrection Day.

Submitted in Love and Sorrow!!!
A. Samuel Rashford Chapter
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The things that he accomplished
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For David was a good man
Who had a heart of gold.

His hands were always working
To help someone in need.
His mind was always searching
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He loved the youth and labored
To teach unfailingly,
Right principles and valor
With truth and honesty.

He touched the lives of many
And formed a special bond.
He's gone but not forgotten,
His memory lingers on.

He loved the Advent message,
Was God's ambassador.
He lived to please the Master
And show His character.

When Jesus comes in glory,
This godly man will rise
To meet His loving Savior
And reign with Him on high.

Beverly Phipps

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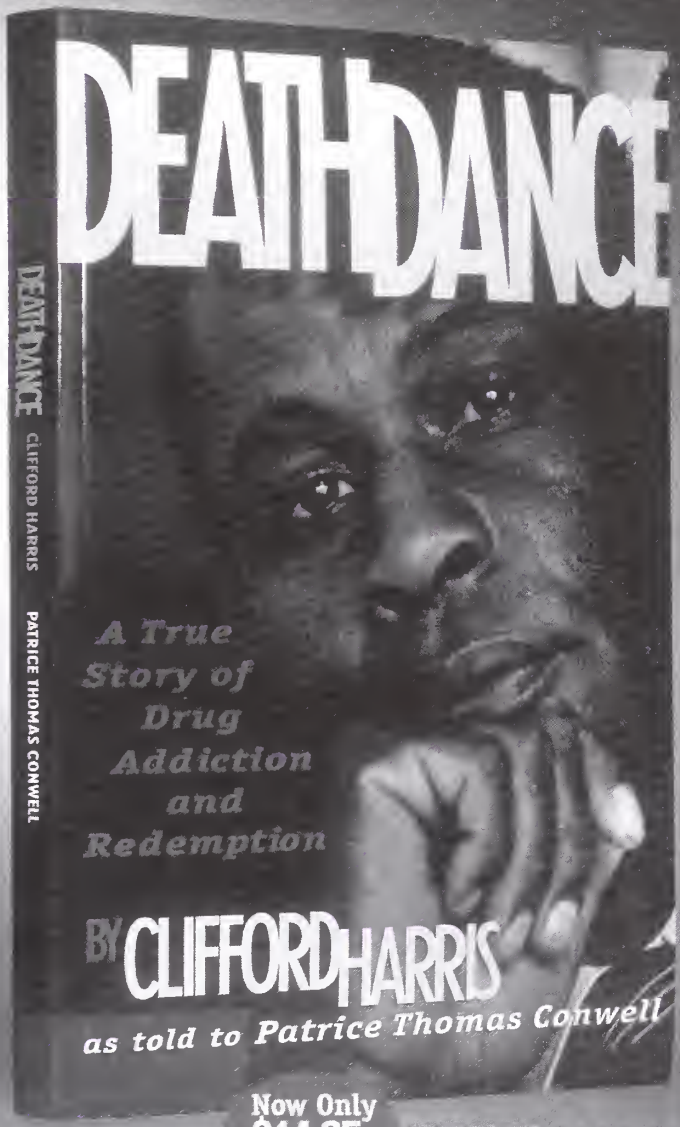

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